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THE INTREPID MOTHER.

The diligence from Paris to Chalons stopped one evening, just after dark, some miles beyond the little town of Rosvary, to set an English lady and her child at a lonely roadside Auberge. Mrs. Martin expected to find a carriage ready to take her to Chateau de Senart, a distance of some leagues, whither she was repairing on a visit; but it was told it had not arrived. The landlady, a tall, coarse looking woman, who showed her into the hall that served at once as a sitting-room and kitchen, observed that the roads were so muddy and difficult at night, there was little chance of her friend arriving before morning. 'You had better, therefore,' said she, 'make up your mind to sleep here. We have a good room to offer you, and you will be much more comfortable between a pair of clean warm sheets, than knocking about in our rough country, especially as your dear child seems sickly.'

Mrs. Martin, though much fatigued by her journey, hesitated. A good night's rest was certainly a tempting prospect, but she felt so confident that her friends would not neglect her, that after a moment she replied: 'Thank you, madam; I will set up for an hour or so; it is not late, and the carriage may come, after all. Should it not, I shall be glad of your room, which you may prepare for me, at any rate.'

The hostess, who seemed anxious her guest should not remain in the great room suggested that a fire might be made above; but Mrs. M. found herself so comfortable where she was—a pile of faggots was blazing on the hearth—that she declined at first to move.—Her daughter, about five years of age, went to sleep in her lap; and she herself found that while her ears were anxiously listening for the roll of carriage wheels, her eyes occasionally closed, and slumber began to make its insidious approaches.

In order to prevent herself from giving way, she endeavored to direct her attention to the objects around her. The apartment was vast, and lighted more by the glare of the fire than by the dirty candle stuck into a filthy tin candlestick, that stood on one of the long tables. Two or three huge beams stretched across half way up the walls, leaving a space filled with flitting shadows above. From these depended a rusty gun or two, a sword, several bags, hanks of onions, cooking utensils, &c. There were very few signs that the house was much visited, though a pile of wine bottles lay in one corner. The landlady sat at some distance from the fire-place with her two sons, who had laid their heads together, and talked in whispers.

Mrs. Martin began to feel uneasy.—The idea entered her mind that she had fallen into a resort of robbers; and the words "C'est elle," (it is she,) which was all she heard of the whispered conversation, contributed to her alarm. The door leading into the road was left ajar; and for a moment she felt an inclination to start up and escape on foot.—But she was far from any other habitation, and if the people of the house entertained any evil designs, her attempt would only precipitate the catastrophe. So she resolved on patience, but listened attentively for the approach of her friends. All she heard was the whistling of the wind, and the dashing of the rain, which had begun to fall just after her arrival.

About two hours passed in this uncomfortable way. At length the door was thrown open, and a man dripping wet came in. She breathed more freely; this new comer might frustrate the evil designs of her hostess, if she entertained any. He was a red-haired, jovial-faced looking man and inspired her with confidence by the frankness and ease of his manners.

'A fine night for walking!' cried he, shaking himself like a dog who was scrambling out of a pond. 'What have you to give me? Salute Messieure et Mesdames. I am wet to the skin. Give me a bottle of wine.'

The hostess, in a surly, sleepy tone, told her eldest son to serve the gentleman; and then addressing Mrs Martin, said:—

'You see your friends will not come, and you are keeping up to no purpose.—You had better go to bed.'

'I will wait a little longer,' was the reply, which elicited a kind of a shrug of contempt.

The red-haired man finished his bottle of wine, and then said:

'Show me a room, good woman—I shall sleep here to night.'

Mrs. Martin thought, as he pronounced these words, he cast a protecting glance towards her, and she felt less repugnance at the idea of passing the night in that house. When, therefore, the red-haired man, after a polite bow, went up stairs, she said, that as her friends had not arrived, they might as well show her to her bed-room.

'I thought it would come to that at last,' said the landlady. 'Pierre, take the lady's trunk up stairs.'

In a few minutes, Mrs. Martin found herself alone in a spacious room, with a large fire burning on the hearth. Her first care, after putting the child to bed, was to examine the door. It closed only by a latch.—There was no bolt inside.—She looked around for something to barricade it with, and perceived a heavy chest of drawers. Fear gave strength. She half lifted, half pushed it against the door. Not content with this, she seized a table to increase the strength of her defence. The leg was broken, and when she touched it, it fell with a crash to the floor.—A long echo went sounding through the house, and she felt her heart sink within her. But the echo died away and no one came; so she piled the fragments of the table upon the chest of drawers. Tolerably well satisfied in this direction, she proceeded to examine the walls. They were all papered, and after examination, seemed to contain no secret door.

Mrs. Martin now sank down into a chair to think on her position. As was natural after taking all these precautions, the idea suggested itself that it might be surplerfluous, and she smiled at the thought of what her friends would say when she related to them the terrors of the night. Her child was sleeping tranquilly, its rosy cheeks half buried in the pillow. The fire had blazed up into a white flame, while the unsnuffed candle burned dimly. The room was full of pale, trembling shadows, but she had no superstitious fears. Something positive could alone raise alarm. She listened attentively, but could hear nothing but the howling of the wind over the roof, and the patterring of the rain against the window panes. As her excitement diminished, the fatigue—which had been forgotten—began again to make itself felt, and she resolved to undress and go to bed.

Her heart leaped into her throat. For a moment she seemed perfectly paralysed. She had undressed and put out the candle, when she accidentally dropped her watch. Stooping to pick it up, her eyes voluntarily glanced towards the bed. A great mass of red hair, a hand and a gleaming knife were revealed by the light of the fire. After the first moment of terrible alarm, her presence of mind returned. She felt that she had herself cut off all means of escape by the door, and was entirely left to her own resources. Without uttering a cry, trembling in every limb, the poor woman got into her bed by the side of her child. It had flashed through her brain like lightning. It was the only chance left.

The bed was so disposed that the robber could get beneath it by a small aperture at the head without making a noise; and it was probable that he would choose, from prudence, this means of exit. There was no curtain in the way, so Mrs. Martin, with terrible decision and noseless energy, made a runni g noose with her scarf, and held it poised over the aperture by which her enemy was to make his appearance. She had resolved to try to strangle him in defence of her own life and that of her child.

The position was an awful one, and probably had she been able to direct her attention to the surrounding circumstanses, she might have given way to her fears, and attemped to arouse the inmates of the house by her screams. The fire on the hearth, unattended to, had fallen around, and now gave only a dull, sullen light, with an occasional bright gleam.—Every object in the vast apartment glowed with a restless motion. Now and then a mouse advanced stealthily along the floor, but, startled by some noise under the bed, went scouring back in terror to its hole. The child breathed steadily in its unconcious repose; the mother also endeavored to imitate slumber; but the man under the bed u easy in his position, could not help occasionally making a slight noise.

Mrs. Martin was occupied with only two ideas. First she reflected on the extraordinary delusion by which she had been led to see enemies in the people of the house, and a friend in the red-haired man; and secondly, t struck her that as he would fear no resistance from a woman, he might push away the chairs that were in his way, regardless of the noise, and thus avoid the snare that was laid for him. Once she thought that, whilst her attention was strongly directed to one spot he had made his exit, and was leaning over her; but she was deceived by a flickering shadow on the opposite wall. In reality there was no danger that he would compromise the success of his sanguinary enterprise; the shrieks of a victim put on its guard might alarm the house.

Have you ever stood, hour after hour, with your fishing rod in hand, waiting for a nibble? If you have, you have some faint idea of the state of mind in which Mrs. Martin—with far other interests at stake—passed the time, until an old clock on the chimney-piece told one after midnight. Another source of anxiety now presented itself—the fire had nearly burned out. Her dizzy eyes could scarcely see the floor, as she bent with fearful attention over the head of the bed—the terrible noose hanging like the sword of Damocles, above the gloomy aperture—'What' thought she "if he delay his appearance until the light has completely died away? Will it not then be impossible for me to adjust the scarf—to do the deed—to kill this assassin—to save myself and child? O God! deliver him into my hands!"

A cautious movement below—the dragging of hands and knees along the floor—a heavy suppressed breathing—announced that the supreme moment was near at hand. Her white arms were bared to the shoulders; her hair fell wildly about her face, like the mane of a lioness about to leap upon its prey; the distended orbits of her eyes glared down upon the spot where the question of life and death was very soon to be decided.

Time seemed immeasurably lengthened out, every second assumed the proportions of an hour. But at last, just as all lines and forms began to float before her sight through an indistinct medium of blending light and darkness, a black mass interposed between her eyes and the floor. Suspense being over, the time of action having arrived, everything seemed to pass with magical rapidity. The robber thrust his head carefully forward, Mrs. Martin bent down, there was a half choked cry—the sound of a knife falling to the floor—a convulsive struggle. Pull! pull! pull! Mrs. Martin heard nothing—saw nothing, but the scarf passing between her two naked feet.

She had half thrown herself back, and holding her scarf with both hands, pulled with a desperate energy for her life. The conflict had begun; and one or the other must perish. The robber was a powerful man, and made furious efforts to get loose; not a sound escaped his lips—not a sound escaped from her's. The dreadful tragedy was enacted in solemn silence.

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'Well, mother Guerard, cried a young man, leaping out of a carriage that stopped before the door of the Auberge next morning, 'what news have you got? Has my mother arrived?'

'Is it your mother?' asked the landlady, who seemed quite good humored after her night's rest. 'There's a lady up stairs waiting for some friends, but she does not speak French easily and seemed unwiling to talk. We could scarcely persuade her to go to bed.'

'Show me the room!' cried Arthur running into the house

They soon arrived before the chamber door.

'Mother! Mother!' cried he, but received no answer.

'The door is only latched, for we have no robbers in this part of the country,' said the landlady.

But a formidable obstacle opposed their enterance. They became alarmed, especially when they heard the shrieks of the little girl, and burst open the door.

The first object that presented itself was the face of the robber, violently upturned from beneath the bed, and with protruding tongue and eyeballs; the next was the form of Mrs. Martin, in the position in which we left her. She was still pulling with both hands at the scarf, and glaring wildly toward the head of the bed. The child had thrown its arms around her neck, and was crying, but she paid no attention. The terror of that dreadful night had driven her perfectly mad.

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J. HARPER & J. S. MERRITT, Proprietors. The undersigned take pleasure in announcing to the traveling public, that they have completed the above spacious and commodious HOTEL, and are now prepared to receive their guests. The great improvements and convenience for Travelers in the House, warrants them in hoping they will receive a liberal patronage. They have rooms capable of accommodating over THREE HUNDRED LODGERS. Their Table will be always supplied with the best the market affords, and the prices for board will be as reasonable as times will admit.
Its close proximity to the STEAMBOAT LANDINGS, renders this House very desirable for transient visitors and people arriving in the State, and those leaving for the older States.
☞ There will be a Night Watchman, and Guests can procure Rooms at all hours of the night.
ju 9-3m HARPER & MERRITT, Proprietor.

Joseph M. Brown & Co.,
IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS OF HARDWARE, Metals and Mining Tools of every description, No. 81 California street, Empire Block, San Francisco.
☞ Country Merchants will find at our store the most complete stock of the above Goods in this State, and on the most reasonable terms. m10-3m

STORY, REDINGTON & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
Drugs and Medicines,
Chemicals, Perfumery, Fancy Articles, etc., San Francisco, Cal.
AGENTS for Osgood's India Colagogue, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, Dr. Conine's Ginseng and Malva, Grafenberg Co's Medicines, Corbett's Shakers' Sarsaparilla, Dr. Hunt's Life Elixer and Hyatt's Balsam;
HAVE removed to their new store, on the North East corner of Sansome and Merchant streets. No 128 Sansome street, and No 1 Sansome Block, immediately opposite their old stand. ji9-tf

SALVATOR ROSA,
IMPORTER, and dealer in all description of MUSICAL INSTUMENTS; Sheet Music, etc, No. 180 Clay street, between Kearney and Montgomery, San Francisco. tj19

A. C. MESSERVE & CO.
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
IN Upholstery Goods, Paper hangings, Carpets, &c. &c., Fire Proof Store, No. 128 Clay street, above Sansome, San Francisco. feb10-tf

PICKETT & MOUNT,
Grocers and Commission Merchants,
Front street, between Sacramento and Long Wharf,
feb3-tf San Francisco.

GEORGE M. GARDNER,
(Successor to Daniel C. McGlynn,)
WHOLESALE DEALER IN
PAINTS, OILS, VARNISH, &c.
No. 117 Washington street, next door to the corner of Sansome San Francisco.

Legal Notices.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an Execution in favor of Joseph C. Palmer, Charles W. Cook, George W. Wright and Edward Jones, plaintiffs, and against John Charles Fremont defendant, and issued out of the District Court of the Twelfth Judicial District, held in and for the County and City of San Francisco, in the State of California, I will proceed to sell on Saturday the 29th day of October, A. D. 1854, in the town of Mariposa, as the law directs, the following property, to wit: One-half interest in five Mules and seven Horses, one Safe, one Stove, one Anvil, two Steam Engines and Machinery, one Whip-saw, one Crosscut Saw, two Circular Saws, two Amalgamators, one Iron Tent Frame, a Lot of Household and Kitchen Furniture; with sundry other articles; one Adobe House, one Frame House, and one Log House. Also, all of the defendant's right, title and interest in and to a certain Tract of Land, known as "Los Mariposas," being ten Leagues in extent, and lying and being within the boundaries of the Chowchillas, Sierra Nevadas, the Merced, and the San Joaquin, and being the same tract of country claimed by John C. Fremont, as on file before the United States Land Commissioners.

Terms of sale cash.

o6-4t J. BOLING, Sheriff.

The above sale is postponed until Saturday the 21st day of October, 1854. J. BOLING, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an Execution to me directed from the Hon. District Court of the 12th Judicial District, held in the city of San Francisco, I will offer for sale, to the highest bidder, in the town of Mariposo, before the Court House door thereof, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 1854, the following property, to wit: A certain Quartz mill and machinery, well known as the Washington Mill. Also, two Canvass Houses, one Log Cabin, and a large Quartz Vein, well known as the Washington Ledge, all situated in the vicinity of Quartzburg. The above named property has been levied upon as the property of the Washington Mining Company, to satisfy a judgment obtained in the Court aforesaid, in favor of Edward Wiard plaintiff. Terms of sale cash.

Sept. 19th, 1854-3t J. BOLING, Sheriff.

Administrator's Notice.

ALL persons having claims against HENRY KINDER deceased, will exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months from the date hereof, to Gurdon Douglass, at Visalia, Tulare County, or be forever barred. Visalia, Tulare County, Sept. 12, 1854.

GURDON DOUGLASS,
sep29-4t Administrator.

Administrator's Notice.

ALL persons having claims against Frederick Leonard deceased, will exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months from the date hereof to John Pool, at King's River, Tulare County, or be forever barred. King's River, Tulare County, Sept. 12, 1854.

JOHN POOL,
sep29-4t Administrator.

THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, }
COUNTY OF MARIPOSA. }

In the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District, of said State.

The People of the State of California, to Armour Moore, GREETING:

You are hereby summond to appear and answer, in said Court, unto the complaint of Walter Williams, in a plea of debt wherein the plaintiff claims the sum of Fifteen Hundred and Forty-six dollars and fifty-two cents, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. per annum, from the first day of June, 1854, also for a decree for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage to secure the payment of the aforesaid debt and interest, filed in our said court, within ten days after the service of this writ, if served in said county, and within forty days if served in any other county, or judgment by default will be taken against you for the sum of fifteen hundred and forty-six 52-100 dollars, interest and costs, and for the relief demanded.

Witness, Hon. C. M. Creaner, Judge of the Fifth Judicial District of said State, this 31st day of July, A. D. 1854. EDWD. C. BELL, Clerk.
L. S. By WM. WILLIS, Dep. Clerk.

Ordered by the Hon. J. M. Bondurant, County Judge of Mariposa county, that service of the summons in this cause, be made by publication of the same for the space of three months in the Mariposa Chronicle, a newspaper published in the town of Mariposa.

Attest: EDWD. C. BELL, Clerk.
By WM. WILLIS, Dep. Clerk.
S. A. MERRITT, Plaintiff's Att'y. ag4-3m

THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, }
COUNTY OF MARIPOSA. }

In the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of said State.

The People of the State of California, to Orlando Wilson, GREETING:

You are hereby summond to appear and answer, in said Court, unto the complaint of Mrs. Caroline Wilson, praying for a Decree of Divorce from the bonds of matrimony, filed in our said Court, within ten days after the service of this writ, if served in said County, and within forty days if served in any other County, or judgment by default will be taken against you, and the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in her said complaint.

Witness: Hon. C. M. Creaner, Judge of the Fifth Judicial District of said State, this the 3d day of August, A. D 1854.
L. S. EDW. C. BELL, Clerk.
RICHARD H. DALY, Plaintiffs's Attorney. ag4-3m

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The Public are hereby notified that the Co-Partnership formerly existing under the firm of Phillips & Young, was dissolved on the 17th day of July last.

Merced River, Oct. 4, 1854.
o6-3t JOHN PHILLIPS.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The Co-partnership heretofore existing between Jos. C. Morris and S. Bond, under the name and style of Morris & Bond, trading at Washington Flat, in Mariposa County, is this day dissolved, Jos. C. Morris having disposed of his entire interest in the said firm to R. B. Parker & Co.

The business will hereafter be carried on by S. Bond and R. B. Parker & Co., at the old stand of Morris & Bond, under the name and style of S. Bond & Co.

Stockton, July 11, 1854. JOS. C. MORRIS,
jy21-3m R. B. PARKER & CO.

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the co-partnership heretofore existing between L. FRANKL & CO., in Mariposa and Carson Creek, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. L. Frankl, who continues the business in Mariposa, as before, is authorized to receive all the debts due the late firm

L. FRANKL,
MAYER S. ASCHHEIM,
JULIUS SALOMONSON.
Mariposa, March 30th, 1854. m31-tf

Notice.

THIS is to certify that NEWELL & CO., are no longer Agents for us in Stockton or the Southern Mines, and have no right to use our name in any matter. The business will hereafter be conducted by us on our own account. ADAMS & CO.

Stockton, March 11, 1854. m31-tf

NOTICE.—The public are hereby notified that the undersigned will apply at the next August term of the Court of Sessions of Mariposa County, for an order establishing a Public Ferry on the Merced River, about one hundred yards above the junction of Maxwell's creek with said river, and near one mile above the village of Horse Shoe Bend. N. T. CODY.

Horse Shoe Bend, May 26th, 1854. ju 23-tf

Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the firm of McNAMARA & CRIPPEN, are requested to settle up without delay. The undersigned can be found at the old stand, now occupied by Messrs. Dean & O'Donnell ready to attend to calls of the above nature, and wind up the old business.

ju2-3m J. F. McNAMARA.

Stage Line

FROM SONORA TO COULTERVILLE;
F. B. CLARK & CO., Proprietors.

A STAGE LINE WILL RUN BETWEEN THE ABOVE places twice a week, leaving Sonora on MONDAYS WEDNESDAYS, and FRIDAYS; and Coulterville on TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS, and SATURDAYS, at 7 o'clock, A. M.

The Stage will connect with the Stockton

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MARIPOSA:

FRIDAY MORNING, OCT. 13, 1854.

☞ MR. JOHN E. METSON, Mail Carrier between this place and Sonora, is hereby authorised to receive any advertisements, job work, subscriptions, or moneys intended for the Mariposa Chronicle.

☞ DAVID W. BUCK, No. 142 Clay Street, is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

☞ RELIGIOUS NOTICE.—Rev. G. S. Phillips will attend the Quarterly Meeting of the Methodist E. Church, on Saturday and Sunday the 21st and 22d instants.

COLUMBIA AND STANISLAUS WATER COMPANY.—We learn from the Sonora Herald that a new Water Company has been organized at Columbia. They propose to bring the water from the main fork of the Stanislaus river. The length of the route is about forty miles, sixteen of which will require fluming. It is estimated that the work can be completed for $300,000 Fifteen hundred shares are to be issued at $200 each, and subscribers can work out their shares or pay the money at their own discretion,

James W. Coffroth has been elected President, and George L. Trask Engineer.

We know of no subject of greater importance to the people of Mariposa county than that of a supply of water for mining and other purposes during the summer months. Every class of men in the county are interested to a greater or less extent in this matter, and nothing but a miserable short-sighted policy can account for the strange apathy and indifference exhibited by our citizens since the project of a ditch from the Merced or San Joaquin, was first agitated. The route is beyond doubt practicable, at less expense of time and money, than the one contemplated by the Columbia Company, and would supply a more extensive and richer section of mining country. The greater part of the route between this place and the point where the supply of water could be obtained is over one of the best lumber countries in the world, affording facilities for saw-mills to any extent. We are satisfied that stock in such a company would prove a better investment than any other in the State. The idea that a large amount of capital must necessarily be raised in the county for the accomplishment of the work is absurd. Capitalists in different parts of the State are fully alive to their value, and would eagerly seize the opportunity if a beginning was only made by ourselves. Survey the route and organize a company, and the necessary money and labor would soon be forthcoming. We are acquainted with a great many miners who would willingly take stock, and pay for it in labor. We have during the latter part of every dry season, some four or five months of dull times which will continue to grow duller still every year, unless some steps are taken to remedy the evil, and these steps must be taken by ourselves.

IMPORTANT DISCOVERY.—A short time since a gentleman named Dr. P. R. Haight arrived in town, bringing information of the discovery of an important Pass which he calls Pio Pass, (from the fact that there is a tribe of Indians in the vicinity of the same name,) situated, as we mentioned in our brief notice of it last week, near the head of the most easterly branch of the middle fork of the San Joaquin, and but a few miles south of the latitude of Mariposa. The distance from Mariposa to the summit of the Pass, in a direct line, he estimates at about 90 miles, and about 150 miles by the route which he has surveyed, over a country offering but few obstacles to the passage of a heavily laden team. The route, he says, can be made a good wagon road by a small party in less than ten days. From the head of the Pass to the Plains on the eastern side of the Nevades there extends for a distance of about 50 miles in length by an average breadth of 15 miles, one of the most magnificent valleys the eye of man ever beheld, covered with a luxuriant growth of timothy and other grasses to the heighth of a man's shoulders, and watered by three large streams, which he supposes sink into the sands of the plains. From the summit of the Pass to Salt Lake city, he estimates the distance to be about 250 miles, which would make the whole distance from that place to Mariposa, but little over 400 miles, being about 200 miles less than the route by way of the Humboldt into the Northern mines. He places his newly discovered Pass about 60 miles south of the Yo-Semity Valley. Dr. H. is still in town, and is ready to give any information in his possession concerning the route. We know nothing of the gentleman personally, but his descriptions are given with an appearance of truthfulness and plausibility which entitle them to a careful consideration. The immense importance of the subject to this section of country, warrants some steps being taken to ascertain the correctness of the alleged discovery. If the citizens of this place would act promptly in this matter a party of eight or ten men could be sent out under the guidance of Dr. Haight, and the matter determined in a few weeks, and the cost would not exceed three or four hundred dollars, which is as nothing when compared to the advantages which would result to every resident of the County and of this town more particularly, if the tide of immigration, by way of Salt Lake, could be diverted to this place.

THE WAR COMMENCED ON THE PACIFIC.

We copy the following from the Times and Transcript of the 4th inst:

By the arrival last night of the French frigates Forte and Euridice, and the French brig Obligado, we have stirring news from the first scene of conflict between the allied powers and the Russians on the Pacific.

On the 1st and 4th of Sept. an attack was made by the combined fleet upon the Fortress of Petropoloski. The English vessels of war comprised the President, the Pique, and the Virago, and the French the Forte, Euridice, and the Obligado. The action was a very severe one, the English vessels firing 3000 balls. Two of the Russian batteries were destroyed and two crippled. The loss on the side of the latter was very heavy but is not ascertained. Of the English and French forces, sixty-four men fell during the assault. The Russian Frigate Aurora, of forty-four guns, and the Diana of twenty guns, were moored inside and protected by sand banks, behind which they operated as batteries beyond the reach of the French and Engl sh.

One of the English vessels suffered severely in the fight, having lost her foremast, but the fleet is expected to arrive in a few days, and we suppose will be recruited by the addition of the Amphitrite and Trincomalee, which, with the French corvette Artemese, are now cruising on our coast. The combined fleet of five British and four French will then probably proceed to Petropoloski and complete the work.

When leaving the port and a short distance outside, the Russian merchantmen Sitka was captured by the allied forces and sent to Vancouver.

She carried 10 guns, a crew of 35 men, and had 26 passengers who were taken on board the Forte and Euridice, and the ship was taken charge of by the President, Pique and steamer Virago, to be conveyed to Vancouver's Island. The Sitka was loaded with provisions for the Russian settlements and had touched at Ayan, where she discharged part of her cargo, and was bound thence to Petropoloski, when she fell in with the fleet and surrendered at discretion, declining to engage in a conflict with the odds of seven to one.

A Russian supply vessel was also taken and burnt. Throughout the siege, we learn that the Russians fought with great courage, as the result proves. The information afforded in regard to the details of the battle, is however meagre and unsatisfactory. It does not appear that the British and French have come off with any very distinguished honor, but they may fare better on a second trial. The defences of Petropoloski undoubtedly render its capture quite a formidable undertaking.

A MEXICAN REVOLUTION.—A fresh revolution is in full blast on the Southwestern frontie . A battle was fought not far from Matamoras on the 13th September. between the insurgents and government troops, in which the former, commanded by Capistran and numbering 250. were victorious. His opponent, Gen. Cruz, lost five officers and twenty men out of 180. The department at Tamaulipas is in a state of insurrection. A proclamation has been issued deposing Santa Ana, ordering the election of local committees, proclaiming a republic, and declaring that fifty hours after the capital shall have joined the revolution, a National Assembly shall be convoked to meet three months afterwards and elect a President. Gen. Valdomar seems to be at the head of the movement, which is somewhat formidable.

MYSTERIOUS.—A couple of gentlemen who were walking down Odem's Gulch on Sunday last discovered, about a mile and a half below the road, a Panama hat lying on the ground and a few yards further down a large sized shoe, which on examination proved to be covered with blood. Their suspicions were awakened and they returned to the spot where the hat was found, where they saw what to them appeared unmistakable evidence of foul play. A large quantity of blood had been spilled at this place, and through the hat were two cuts evidently made with a large Bowie-knife. No vestiges of a body conld be found in the neighborhood, and the impression is that a murder has been lately committed there, and the remains removed to a distance and secreted.

ALMOST A DUEL.—A difficulty originating in a game of cards, occurred at the El Dorado on Tuesday evening last, between Mr. John W. Ross, and Mr. LeRoy Vining, during which the former who was somewhat under the influence of liquor, was pretty roughly handled. Next morning a challenge from Mr. Ross was accepted by Vining, and the parties proceeded to a spot a short distance back of town, where the preliminaries were settled and the affair about to take place, when the "sport" was interrupted by constable Harbert, and the principals conducted to the office of Justice Washburn, when they were required to give bonds in the sum of $1,000 each.

ASSAULT WITH A KNIFE.—Two Mexicans at Agua Frio on Thursday last, had a misunderstanding from some cause or other unknown to us, when one of them attempted to strike the other with a crowbar, which he dodged, and returned by cutting the aggressor across the abdomen, inflicting a frightful wound through which his entrails protruded. He is not expected to recover.

The one who inflicted the wound immediately fled, and has not since been heard from.

THE CASE OF JAMES SMITH.—The trial of this person for the murder of Thomas Burke in the Union Hotel, San Francisco, on the 16th of March last, was, we learn from the San F. Chronicle, concluded on Monday night last. The verdict of the Jury was:

"We, the jury, find the prisoner guilty of manslaughter, and recommend the infliction of the full penalty of the law."

CHINESE TESTIMONY.—We learn from the Times and Transcript, that in the case of the People, etc., respondents, and Geo. W. Hall, appellant, the Supreme Court have decided that Chinese testimony is not admissible for or against a white man in criminal prosecution.

[CORRESPONDENCE OF THE MARIPOSA CHRONICLE.]

FROM EUROPE.

A Visit to the Watering Places—Gambling—Balls—Description of the Ladies—The War.

MAYENCE, August 4, 1854.

Messrs. Editors:—Fearing that you might think I was lost, or had entirely forgotten your Golden land, I take occasion to inform you that I am still among the living, and as anxious as ever to return to the "Land of Promise."

Since my last I have been visiting several of the principal watering places in Germany. Among these Hamburg, near Frankfort, Manhein, near Hamburg, also, Wiesbaden, are scarcely surpassed by the fashionable city of Paris. Luxury and elegance are the order of the season. The fine bands of music, the splendid promenades, beautiful dwellings, the rich and costly merchandise exposed to view, as well as the magnificent scenery of the surrounding country, combine to render a stranger for a time forgetful of his own country, and rivet him to the spot. All enlightened nations are here represented, and mingle together, each trying to surpass the other in splendor and show.

Gambling here is conducted on the most extended scale, and appears more as an amusement than as a crime. Sunday is the day on which their saloons are most frequented, and Rouge-et-noir is the favorite game. From 1000 to 10,000 francs are common bets. Every thing is conducted with great order—no smoking or drinking is allowed, and the ladies appear to be the best customers. Citizens of the town are most strictly forbidden to play, foreigners and visitors from other cities alone are permitted to indulge. They get up splendid balls at these places—one of which I attended. It is customary to solicit any lady to dance who may be in the room without any introduction or acquaintance, admission into the ball-room being considered sufficient, and it is only those stiff, formal English ladies who appear to accept unwillingly.

As I am considerable of an admirer of the fair sex, I will describe a few of their peculiarities as one sees them here.

Yonder sits a young lady of fair complexion, beautiful almost white curly hair, and faultless form. She is a Hollander, speaks broken German, little better French, but no English. Here is a French lady "dressed to death," black eyes and hair, very lively, but to my taste not handsome. There is a German lady, of beautiful form, fine eyes, pretty little hands and feet, but of rather short stature—the only defect discernable. Next is a long face, light hair, blue or brown eyes, small hand, big foot, tall still form, and you have the grand English lady. Many of the Russian ladies are extremely handsome. The English language is spoken by all more or less.

About the war there is little of much importance, more than you have heard ere this. It is surmised that a great battle will soon be fought between the Turks and Russians, in the Wallachia—100,000 men on each side. The Anglo-French army still remains in a state of "masterly inactivity." leaving to the Turks the fighting department. Neither the Austrians or Prussians have declared for either party, and it is not likely that they will as long as they can keep out of the scrape. Public opinion as well as the interest of both nations, are on the side of the Turks, but their "divine rulers" would rather help "Old Nick." Napier has declared Cronstadt impregnable. What a pity that Brother Jonathan couldn't get a lick at the place.

Your old friend,
CALIFORNIAN.

The last thirty miles of the stage route leading from Stockton to Mariposa, we have no hesitation in saying, is the most precipitous and rough of any in the State, and it requires not only great caution, but superior judgment and skill to make the trip, with a load of passengers, without accident, within a reasonable time. During the wet season, travelers are always under the necessity of walking a considerable portion of the way, and at all times the timid traveler declines keeping his place in the coach while going over the "big hill." We believe that the task of guiding and controlling six horses over this rude section, never was undertaken before the present driver, Mr. Reed, came on the road, and in every respect he has succeeded admirably in his undertaking, having met with no accident, besides making the best time ever made on this route, thereby increasing the number of passengers very materialy, as people generally prefer riding and paying for it, to going on foot for nothing, especially when they can save time by the operation. Mr. Reed is a gentleman, kind and accommodating to all, but at the same time he is prompt to the minute, and like "time and tide, waits for no man." These qualities, together with his skill as a driver, peculiarly adapt him to fill the post he occupies.

We understand that great numbers of Mexicans are scattered along the numerous gulches between Princeton and Hornitas, engaged in mining, stealing, or whatever offers in the way of making a raise. They are becoming bold and impudent, and resist the Foreign Tax Collectors whenever they are strong enough to do so with impunity. This class of our population is made up principally of the refuse and scum of Mexico, and are ever ready to commit murder or robbery. Some steps should be taken to compel them to a better observance of law, or rid us of their presence altogether.

TOTAL LOSS OF THE YANKEE BLADE.

The steamship Yankee Blade, one day out from San Francisco on her downward trip was wrecked on Sunday the 1st inst. by running upon rocks near Point Conception in a fog. A short time before she struck, a passenger represented to Capt. Randall that he saw land, but he said it was a mistake and continued his course. In about half an hour the vessel ran more than half her length upon a rock, when a scene of great confusion ensued. Capt. Randall left the steamer about ten minutes after she struck, and went to the shore about three quarters of a mile off to find a landing place. A portion of the passengers were landed on Sunday, and the remainder next morning. During the next night the ship was the scene of the most outrageous violence and robbery. A number of wretches who were on board commenced breaking open trunks and carpet bags, and pillaging whatever they could lay their hands upon. A cry of murder was heard and a number of persons started to go down into the steerage, but were prevented, the steps having been taken away, and the lives of any persons threatened who should attempt to come down. About 800 persons remained on the deck all night, every moment expecting the steamer to go to pieces. One person was knocked down, and compelled, with a pistol at his breast, to give up his money. Another was robbed, and an attempt was made to throw him overboard. A number more of similar cases occurred.

The third mate and purser were the only officers who stuid on board, and are spoken of in high terms by the passengers. The Goliah fortunately came along in the morning and carried the passengers to San Diego. From thirty to sixty lives are supposed to be lost. $153,000 in specie on freight, sunk with the vessel.

We take the above from the San Francisco Chronicle.

EXTENSIVE FORGERIES.—A most stupendous fraud has just been discovered in San Francisco, which throws Schuyler and his railroad operations completely in the shade. We learn from the Herald of Sunday last that early on Saturday morning, it was discovered that Henry Meiggs, Comptroller of San Francisco, and his brother who was recently elected to succeed him, had disappeared from the city, and that he had fled to avoid detection of his guilt in forging Comptroller's Warrants to a large amount. During the day it was discovered that nearly $300 000 of City Warrants had been forged and issued by him. Also a large amount of County Scrip. Forged notes to the extent of $33,000, and forged Stock of the California Lumber Company, of which he was President, to the tune of half a million have come to light, besides loans from different persons, ranging from $5,000 to $40,000. A few days befote he disappeared, he failed for $800,000, and on Tuesday the 3d inst., he purchased a bark, fitted her up in princely style, and the same night sailed with his family for parts unknown. His defalcations are estimated at about a million and a half. Hurrah for Meiggs!

Court of Sessions.

OCTOBER TERM.

Present—J. M. Bondurant, Judge, Washburn and Blair, Associates.

Continuation of the proceedings since our last issue:

People vs J. Smythe—Assault & Battery. Jury were unable to agree and a nol. pros. was entered.

People vs Manuel Mariano—Robbery. Guilty, and sentenced to 10 years in the State Prison.

People vs McVicar & Co.—For keeping gaming tables without license. Plead guilty, and fined $100 and costs.

People vs G. B. Abel—Same charge. Plead guilty, and fined $100 and costs.

People vs Pat. Gibbons—Assault and Battery. Guilty, and fined $1.

People vs Pedro Sesa—Grand Larceny. Guilty. Sentenced to 5 years in State Prison.

People vs W. T Parker—Keeping gaming table without license. Plead guilty and fined $100 and costs.

People vs Jeff Howard—Assault and Battery. Admitted to bail in the sum of $500.

Peeple vs T. C. Flournoy—Assault. Admitted to bail in the sum of $1000.

Baptiste Garvaga and Juan Urrea, previously convicted of Grand Larceny, were sentenced, the former to 10 years and the latter to 5 years in the State Prison.

Ylaria Gonzales, convicted of assault with intent to kill, sentenced to 14 years in State Prison.

Heretofore it has been the custom for Juries to find the verdict and sentence the prisoner, but during this term the punishment was apportioned by the Court, which may account for the "visible improvement" discernable. All the cases of robbery, Larceny and attempts to murder, before the Court, were committed by Mexicans, and it is to be hoped that a few more such sentences as the above may have a salutary effect in diminishing the great amount of crime which has of late been alarmingly on the increase in this County.

TYRANNY.—A man named Wm. Miller, who was imprisoned in the Winchester jail, England, thirty-nine years ago, for debt, still remains confined on the same charge, though he has now become seventy-one years old. The last three years and eight months of his stay in Winchester jail were spent in solitary confinement. Some humane persons hearing of his case, had him transferred to the Queen's prison, London, where he now enjoys comparitive liberty.

Our thanks are due Mr. Gardner of Adams & Co.'s, and to Mr. Stelle of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express, for a supply of California exchanges.

MONOPOLY.—It appears from late San Francisco papers that the Mail and Nicaragua Steamer Companies have made arrangements by which a weekly departure of Ocean Steamers will take place hereafter from San Francisco. The Independent Line has been withdrawn, having been purchased by the two companies mentioned. The Mail Steamers leave San Francisco for Panama the first and middle of each month, and the Nicaragua steamers on the 8th and 24th, thus affording a weekly communication with the Atlantic States. These facilities, however, are somewhat counterbalanced by the high rates of passage demanded since the arrangement was entered into, which are as follows:

First Cabin—Through tickets . . $300
Second Cabin—Through tickets 250
Steerage—Through tickets, (including the Isthmus Transit by both routes 150

TEXAS RAILROAD ENTERPRIZE.—The Austin Gazette, of the 26th August, says:—Wm. P. Converse, of New Orleans, a man of high standing in the business community, has been appointed President of the board of Commissioners of the Brownsville and Rio Grande Railroad Company. Books of subscription are now opened at New Orleans and Brownsville. Mr. Converse thinks that, with $100,000 good subscriptions, a contract can be made for building and finishing, complete, the road, with depots, water stations, rolling stock, etc., payable out of the subscriptions and by bonds of the Company, secured by a mortgage of the road with all its rights, donations and appurtenances. This will of course include the land donated by the State.

IMPORTANT ARREST.—C. M. Keys, says the Sonora Herald, suspected of having murdered Capt. Stringer, who it will be remembered was found shot on the Jamestown and Shaw's Flat road about four months ago, was arrested at the Tejon Pass, Los Angelos county, by Major P. L. Soloman, sheriff of this county, and Geo. S. Evans, County Clerk, and brought hither in their custody. He is now lodged in jail, to await his trial, which will come off at the next sitting of the District Court.

POST OFFICE.—A Post Office has been established on the Merced river, says the San Joaquin Republican, some eight miles below Snelling's Ranch. The name of the office is "Forlorn Hope." Jack Smith is appointed Postmaster. This office is to be supplied with the mail from Snelling's Ranch, by special contract.

The bankers of San Francisco have entered into an agreement by which in future, all foreign coins, so many of which are in circulation throughout this State, will be received for their actual value only. Large fortunes have been made by some parties engaged in the importation of Francs and other coins, which have here readily passed, owing to the scarcity of small change, for from twenty to thirty-five per cent. above their real worth.

SAN FRANCISCO MINT.—By the arrival, says the San Joaquin Republican, of the clipper ships Competitor and Golden Fleece, all the necessary machinery and appurtenances have been received to enable the branch mint to carry on the work of comage, both gold and silver, to the amount of $30,000,000 per annum. By these arrivals the capacity of the refining department has been doubled. In a short time the mint will be able to produce all denominations of coin, from a double eagle to a five cent piece.

STATE FAIR.—The first annual exhibition of the State Agricultural Society, opened on Thursday the 5th inst. at San Francisco. Many of the specimens of the animal and vegetable productions of California which are on exhibition, says the Alta, are superior to any raised in any other part of the world.

STANISLAUS.—The San Joaquin Republican has been informed that a new election is soon to be held for the location of the seat of justice of Stanislaus County The present location, Adamsville, does not give general satisfaction, in consequence of which the Court of Sessions has ordered a new election.

THE PIONEER.—We have received the October number of this California monthly. It contains among other matter, the conclusion of a mixed up mess of spiritualism commenced in the previous No.

Also another one of Maj. John Phœnix's good things, a lecture on Astronomy.

Messrs. LeCount & Strong, will please accept our thanks.

GAME.—Great numbers of geese, brants, ducks, &c., says the San Joaquin Republican, have made their appearance on the San Joaquin, Calaveras and other streams in this vicinity. Sportsmen will have a rich harvest for some time to come.

"OLD BULLION."—Col. Benton, is is said, received from the Messrs. Appleton, the handsome sum of $50,000 for the copyright of his work, entitled "Thirty years in the Senate."

The claim of the city of San Francisco to the pueblo lands has been confirmed by the Land Commissioners. The claim is confirmed to that part of the city extending to Vallejo's line.

CENTRAL AMERICAN NEGOTIATIONS.—We learn from Washington, say the Baltimore Patriot, that negotiations are in progress between the State Department, Mr. Buchanan, our Minister to England, and the Government of Central America, for the full settlement of all the difficulties pending between the respective governments, which negotiations, it is believd, will eventually prove successful.

WILD OATS.—A crop that is usually sown between 18 and 25; the harvest generally sets in about ten years after, and is commonly found to consist of a broken constitution, two weak legs, a bad cough, and a trunk filled with small vials and medical preparations.

A young lass went to a camp meeting, and came back full of the revival which they had, and did nothing the following week but sing—

"Shout, shout, we're gaining ground!"

She had the tune so pat, that all she said was but a continuation of that song, and not unfrequently the rhyme was too long for the tune. Old Jowell slipped in and took a bone off the table, and, just as he was making the door, she sung out:

"If you don't go out I'll knock you down,
Halle, hallelujah;
You nasty stinkin', flop-eared hound,
O, glory, hallelujah."

"Does this razor go easy?" asked a barber of a victim who was writhing under a clumsy instrument, whose chief demonstration was a strong handle. "Well that depends upon what you call the operation. If you are skinning me, it goes tolerably easy; but if you are shaving, it goes mighty hard."

"IT WOULD SAVE TIME."—Dr. Franklin, when a child found the long graces used by his father before and after meals, very tedious. One day after the winter's provisions were salted, Benjamin said to his father—"I think father, if you would say grace over the whole cask, once for all—it would be a vast saving of time."

To become exalted to a little office—be at all times ready to act as a tool for big men.

The man who tried to sweeten his tea with one of his wife's smiles, has 'fallen back' on sugar.

Lies are hiltless swords, which cut the hands that wield them.

ALUM IN SONOMA COUNTY.—The Sonoma *Bulletin* has been shown a specimen of native alum, found about eight miles from that town. It is very pure, and is said to exist in large quantities.

☞ The Poet says—

Death is another life. We bow our heads,
At going out, we think, and enter straight
Another golden chamber of the king's,
Larger than this we leave, and lovelier.

Nevertheless, most people dread death, and will catch at every remedy for the tortures that rack the mortal body and hurry its dissolution. DR. GUYSOTT'S IMPROVED EXTRACT OF YELLOW DOCK AND SARSAPARILLA, is pre-eminently the safest and most reliable medicines for restoring the human system to life and vigor.

This Sarsaparilla contains more of the pure Honduras Sarsaparilla than any other preparation that now exists—which is chemically combined with the *Extract of Yellow Dock* and the Extract of Wild Cherry, thus making the remedy more thoroughly ancient than any other Sarsaparilla before the public.

SCROFULA, has baffled the skill of the most eminent physicians in this country and in Europe. But there is an antidote for this disease in Dr. Guysott's Extracts of Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla, which is proving itself a specific in the most severe cases of Scrofula. Purchasers will please be careful to ask for, and take none other but *Dr. Guysott's Improved Extract of Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla.* All others in comparison are worthless.

For sale at all the principal Drug Stores in the the State. PARK & WHITE, sole Agents, to whom all orders must be addressed. Office No. 94 Merchant street, third door above Montgomery.

E. S. HOLDEN & CO., Agents at Stockton. ag4-3m

The Subscriber

Forbids any person to Cut Wood or otherwise trespass on his premises, known as

"CUNNINGHAM'S RANCH,"

at Princeton, on the Stockton Road. He will point out the boundaries at any time to any person wishing him to. He may be found on the premises.

Cunningham's Ranch, October 10, 1854.
o13-3t DAVID CUNNINGHAM.

THE POLAR

Expedition.

THE Public have experienced much anxiety and many regrets concerning the absent mariners, but will doubtless be gratified to learn that I have refitted my

DAGUERREAN SALOON,

at a very moderate expense, concealing the adobes by a covering fresh from the looms of Lowell.

THE IMPROVED METHUEN SKY LIGHT!

has also been renewed and enlarged, giving a clear, soft and mellow light, particularly advantageous to persons having weak eyes, who usually cannot retain a natural expression, beneath the glaring glass lights of ordinary Daguerreans.

By the aid of my new arrangements, superior Stock,

DOUBLE ACTION CAMERA,

and "recently perfected chemical preparations," I am now prepared to take Superior Likenesses; and being desirous to serve the "Dear People," would solicit their patronage.

As my Saloon, Apparatus, and Artistic skill are the best in this city, persons wishing a good Daguerreotype Picture, would find it to their advantage to call before sitting elsewhere. Full satisfaction guaranteed in each case. The residents and visitors of the entire county are invited to walk in and examine specimens.

Mariposa October.
ag4-tf D. A. PLECKER, Operator.

GEORGE O. WHITNEY & CO.

OUR ASSORTMENT OF

FURNITURE!!!

IS NOW ENTIRELY COMPLETE,

And cannot be surpassed in this country, either

IN STYLE, VARIETY, OR PRICE.

OUR WAREROOMS ARE

80 *Feet by* 75 *Feet!*

And we are enabled to exhibit and SHOW EVERY ARTICLE, set up in order, so that customers can see what they are purchasing. Now is the time to make selections, having

REDUCED THE PRICES

TO SUIT THE TIMES.

GEORGE O. WHITNEY & CO.,
Corner of California and Leidesdorff sts,
Next to Alsop & Co.

N. B.—BRANCH STORE, Sacramento City, corner of K and Fourth streets. o13mis.

100 CASKS NEW SUGAR CURED HAMS—

150 bbls Billings' Hams;	50,000 lbs No 1 Peruvian Sugar;
50 hhds ex clear Bacon;	60,000 lbs No 1 China Rice;
100 cases ex clear Bacon;	30,000 lbs fresh Chile Beans;
150 hf bbls Mess Pork;	15,000 lbs Leaf Lard 10 and 15-lb tins;
100 hf bbls Clear Pork;	20,000 lbs Green Rio Coffee;
50 hf bbls Mess Beef;	200 bbls and half bbls crushed Sugar;
200 hf bbls Dried Apples;	200 hf bbls Corn Meal;
300 qr bbls Dried Apples;	700 kegs Pickles, 3 and 5 gallons each;
200 kegs E. B. Syrup;	
250 hf bbls Goshen Butter;	
100,000 lbs No 1 China Sugar;	
300 kegs Leaf Lard.	

For sale by R. E. BREWSTER & CO.,
o13-tf 85 Front street, corner Clay.

150 DOZEN PAINTED HANDLE BROOMS—

30 cs Peach Tobacco;	500 cs Imp Tea, 1 and 2 lb caddies;
40 cs Fruit and Grape Tobacco;	100 cs Young Hyson, 1 and 2-lb caddies;
60 cs Salt in bags;	200 cs Olong Tea, ½ lb papers
1000 bxs Ada'tine Candles;	100 cs Kemps' Oysters;
500 bxs Sperm Candles;	125 cs Kensetts' Oysters;
900 bxs Hill's Soap;	50 cs Fresh Clams;
500 bxs Colgate's Soap;	100 cs Green Corn;
200 bxs Colgate's Starch;	100 cs Brandy Cherries;
300 cs fresh Peaches, W. and E.;	150 cs Brandy Peaches;
100 cs W. and E. Fresh Peaches, in glass;	125 cs Sardines, hf & qr bxs;
200 cs Pie Fruit;	100 cs Olive Oil;
150 cs assorted Syrups;	750 cs ass'd Spices, in glass;
100 cs Jams and Jellies;	300 bxs Pepper Sauce;
250 cs Tomato Catsup;	250 hf and qr gal Pickles.

For sale by R. E. BREWSTER & CO.,
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Removal.—DR. L. M. DORWIN, DENTIST, has removed from 172 Washington street, to 240 Washington street, in Dr. Stout's Building, between Dupont and Stockton streets, where he is prepared to perform all operations in Dentistry, upon the latest and most approved principles. o13tf

MARIPOSA CHRONICLE.

PLOUGHING DEEP.—Judge Coulter of Virginia, when first appointed to the bench, had jurisdiction over one of the mountain counties. The district was made up of many wild and unruly fellows One of the Judge's first acts was to impose a heavy fine, by way of example, upon a rough and hardy backwoodsman, for disorderly conduct. As the man was leaving the court room in charge of an officer, he turned and addressed the Judge—

'Your name is Coulter, is it not?'

'Yes.'

'Well, all I have to say is, that you are setting your *coulter* rather too deep for a man who is ploughing new ground.

It is recorded that the fellow's wit saved the fine.

MARIPOSA MARKET.

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.

THURSDAY EVENING, Oct. 12, 1854.

FLOUR—Gallego and Haxall, $18 to $20; City Mills, $16 to $18 ₱ bbl.

GRAIN—Barley, California, 4 to 4½c; Wheat, 6 to 7c ₱ lb.

CORNMEAL—Sales in half bbls at $7 to $8.

PROVISIONS—Mess Beef in half bbls $17 to $18; Clear Pork, barrels, $38; do do half barrels, $19.50 to $20; Hams, 20c to 22c ₱ lb; Clear Bacon, 20c to 22c ₱ lb.

BUTTER—No. 1 article, 42 to 45c; outside brands 30 to 35c ₱ lb.

SUGAR—No. 1 China, 12½c@13c ₱ lb; Pulverized and crushed do, 17c ₱ lb.

SYRUPS—East Boston and Stuarts, $1.50 ₱ gal.

COFFEE—Green Rio and Java, 22@24c ₱ lb.

LARD—In tins 20c ₱ lb; in kegs, 17@18c ₱ lb.

TOBACCO—Grape brand, 38@40c ₱ lb.

TEA—Green Tea in caddies, 65@70 ₱ lb; do black, 70@75c ₱ lb.

PICKLES—In kegs, 90c ₱ $1 ₱ gallon.

SHOVELS—Ames' long handled, $20 ₱ doz; do short handled, $10@$12 ₱ dozen.

SHOT—$4@$4.50 ₱ bag.

NAILS—11c ₱ lb.

VINEGAR—80@90c ₱ gallon.

BEANS—Chile (new crop) 10c ₱ lb.

DRIED APPLES—15@16c ₱ lb.

RICE—Carolina No. 1, 9c ₱ lb; China No. 1, 7½c ₱ lb.

POTATOES—New 4½ to 5c ₱ lb.

HIDES—11@11½c ₱ yd by the bale.

LEAD—In bars, 16c ₱ lb.

New Advertisements.

JAMES M. BLACKWELL,

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,

FOR TOWNSHIP NO. 3, MARIPOSA COUNTY.

☞ Office over Young & Johnson's Store, Lower Agua Frio. October 6, 1854.—tf

WHITTIER'S HOTEL,

LOWER AGUA FRIO,

Re-Opened.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has Re-Opened the above WELL KNOWN HOTEL,

for the accommodation of all who may favor him with a call.

THE BAR AND TABLE need no comments, as they will be, as heretofore, unrivaled by any in the County.

Attached to the Hotel is a superior BILLIARD TABLE.

Stabling for animals on the most reasonable terms.

o6-3m JOS. H. WHITTIER, Proprietor.

Taylor's RAFFLE!

CONSISTING OF

THREE FINE HORSES AND ONE VALUABLE AMERICAN COW!

FIRST PRIZE—A Large Iron Gray Horse, sixteen and one-half hands high, and an extra good animal in harness or under the saddle. Also a New Spanish Saddle, Bridle and Martingal. Value.. $300

SECOND PRIZE—A Fleet Horse, good in harness or under the saddle; together with new rig Saddle, Bridle, &c. Value..... 150

THIRD PRIZE—A Grey Horse, one of the best saddle animals in the country, with Saddle, Bridle, &c. Value..... 150

FOURTH PRIZE—A Black American Cow, will calve about the middle of October. Value..... 100

Total.....$700

The above Raffle of Fine Stock will take place in the town of Mariposa,

ON SUNDAY, THE 19th DAY OF NOVEMBER NEXT,

and is divided into

70 CHANCES AT $10 EACH.

Mariposa, Oct. 3, 1854.

o6-tf W. B. TAYLOR.

Valuable RANCH FOR SALE!

Situated on the San Joaquin Road, about Nine miles from the Merced River, and about one and one-half miles from Bear Creek.

SAID RANCH consists of One Quarter Section of excellent Land, one hundred acres of which are fenced. Over one hundred tons of Hay were cut on the place last year. The greater part of the Ranch is well adapted to the raising of all kinds of small grains, vegetables, &c. The improvements consist of a good

FRAME HOUSE, 15 by 25 FEET,

with canvas roof, Hen House, good Corral, Blacksmith Shop, &c. Near the House is an excellent never failing Spring of Water, by means of which about four acres can be irrigated the entire year.

The Ranch will be sold, together with about 200 FOWLS, 3 COWS, 1 HEIFER, 4 MULES, 2 AMERICAN MARES, 1 GOOD WAGON AND HARNESS, BLACKSMITH TOOLS, &c.

This is one of the best stands for a Tavern in the County, there being no public house within nine miles either way from this place.

The above will be be sold at a bargain.

Enquire at the Chronicle Office, Mariposa, or of the subscriber on the premises.

o6-tf J. MULLEN.

FRANKLIN

Livery Stable!

HAVING re-fitted the Large and Comfortable Stable attached to the "FRANKLIN HOUSE," I am prepared to attend to the great rush which I expect will result from this announcement.

MR. C. SIMPSON, an experienced Ostler, will always be on hand at the Franklin House to take charge of animals, and provide for their wants.

Horses taken on Livery at reasonable rates, and Saddle Horses to Let at all times.

N. B. Don't be afraid to overrun me with Custom as I am prepared to accommodate as many animals as can be found on a Mexican Ranch, and besides I don't feed the same grain and hay to a dozen different animals, but give them a "big feed," and charge almost nothing for it. Mariposa, Oct. 3, 1854. FRANK WILLIAMS,

o6-tf Franklin House Stables.

TAYLOR'S

Livery Stable,

On Fourth street, between Main and Bullion streets, Mariposa.

☞ OFFICE AT PHILLIP'S HOTEL. ☜

THIS Favorite Stable has been enlarged and fitted up in the best manner, and is supplied with a stream of RUNNING WATER,

and an abundance of the Best Feed, which is kept for animals to eat.

The best care taken of all Stock left at this Stable.

Charges moderate enough to suit the most economical.

Saddle Horses to let and animals taken on Livery by the day week or month.

o6-tf W. B. TAYLOR.

Freight Reduced!

FROM SAN FRANCISCO TO STOCKTON.

ON and after this date, the Freight by the Company's Steamers is reduced to

FIVE DOLLARS PER TON,

until further notice.

Office of the California S. N. Co., San Francisco, Oct. 1st, 1854.

R. CHENERY, President.

o6-2m H. N. SQUIRES, Vice President.

NOTICE.—I wish it distinctly understood that no business will receive any attention at the Clerk and Recorder's Office, unless accompanied with the fees.

EDWARD C. BELL,

o6-3m Clerk, Auditor and Recorder.

San Francisco Advertisements.

California ART UNION!

AT

DUNCAN'S CHINESE SALESROOMS,

SAN FRANCISCO.

Distribution on the 30th October.

600 Superb Articles!!

INCLUDING A

$5000 Ingot of Gold!!

THE LARGEST DIAMOND IN THE UNITED STATES!!

For which $3000 in cash will be paid.

PAINTINGS, DIAMOND WORK, VALUABLE WATCHES.

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100,000 SHARES!

One Article to every Sixteen Shares.

☞ *ONE DOLLAR PER SHARE.* ☜

For the purpose of disposing of these valuable and beautiful Goods, an ART UNION has been formed, on the plan of similar Associations in London and Paris.

The whole is divided in Shares, placed by general wish as low as ONE DOLLAR EACH, giving to the holder an INTEREST, BY PURCHASE, in the ENTIRE COLLECTION and constituting a Membership with all the privileges annexed thereto, and the right to decide on the mode of distribution. The SALE WILL BE COMPLETED BY THE DISPOSAL OF ALL THE SHARES BY THE 30TH OCTOBER, and the Property will await the order of the Shareholders, through the fair and impartial decision of a Committee chosen by themselves. The number of Shares is in the proportion of Sixteen to each article in the Catalogue.

The satisfaction heretofore rendered by our house in all its transactions—its long standing and reputation are guarantees of the faithful discharge of the trust, and prompt delivery of every article specified. The same course that has gained us this position will be strictly adhered to, that no dissatisfaction can possibly occur.

☞ Catalogues in full will be forwarded to all of our agents.

☞ Prizes forwarded by Express to all parts of the mines.

THE FIRST TWENTY ARTICLES OF THE CATALOGUE, AMOUNTING TO

$20,000!

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No. 1.	THE NAPOLEON DRAWINGS, or A MAMMOTH INGOT OF GOLD..... (From the United States Mint.)	$5000
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No. 8.	LADIES' SOLID SILVER DRESSING CASE, with bohl Cabinet Implements, and guaranteed.....	500
No. 9.	GENTLEMAN'S SOLID SILVER DRESSING CASE, with buhl cabinet—a very elegant affair.....	500
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No. 11.	CLOCK and CANDELABRAS, in ormolu. Rich and chaste Ornaments for the Drawing Room.....	375
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	" 4000th " " "	850
	" 5000th " " "	700
	" 6000th " " "	2000

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CORNER OF WASHINGTON STREET AND WASHINGTON PLACE, OPPOSITE THE HALL OF RECORDS AND THE LAFAYETTE RESTAURANT, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

THE DOCTOR having taken ALL the rooms, has so arranged them that he can be consulted in privacy by his patients, either male or female, without their being seen by any person except himself.

In the treatment of Diseases entrusted to his care, no deleterious drugs or medicines are administered.

Rooms and Board for persons who may wish to remain private a few days under his treatment.

TO THE LADIES.—The Doctor has a Private Hospital under the charge of an excellent Matron, EXPRESSLY for the reception of Females.

N. B.—All Letters for advice, enclosing Ten Dollars, (and no other,) will be promptly attended to.

☞ Remember, Dr. HUNGERFORD, Corner of Washington street and Washington place, San Francisco.

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Testimonials from the Press.

(From the "Echo du Pacifique.")

DR. HUNGERFORD.

We wish to call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of this gentleman, whose extensive practice and great success is sufficient to induce all those afflicted to give him a call. The Doctor is not only a regularly educated Physician, but he has the principles of honesty and a heart that can feel for his fellow-beings. He has undoubtedly more practice than any other Physician in San Francisco, and it is fast increasing. To those acquainted with the Doctor, we say nothing as to his skill and integrity, as they are well known; but to strangers WE DO SAY, call at the corner of Washington street and Washington place, and you will find that a friend in need is a friend indeed.

(From the "Southern Medical Journal.")

PROFESSOR HUNGERFORD.

Although opposed to the system of advertising, yet we deem it but just to this gentleman to admit that his system of treatment in Private Diseases is undoubtedly the most approved one now in use throughout the civilized world.

FROM DR. HUNGERFORD'S

PRIVATE MEDICAL ROOMS,

Corner of Washington Street and Washington Place, opposite the Hall of Records and the Lafayette Restaurant San Francisco.

Where all diseases of a private character receive the treatment necessary to effect a speedy and effectual cure of those annoying and distressful complaints. The enviable reputation Dr. Hungerford has earned for himself by his extraordinary success in all diseases of a private nature, renders it but necessary to state his address; he therefore avoids the long advertisements of bombastic promises of the empirics of the day, so lavishly held out but seldom fulfilled. Medicines are sent to all parts of the country, with directions for their use.

NOCTURNAL EMISSIONS, Ulcers in the Throat, Syphilis, Gonorrhœa, Strictures, Gleet, and those dreadful symptoms of the head, throat, nose and skin, under the Hungerford treatment, are healed in an incredibly short time, without mercury. Young men who have become victims of solitary vice, that dreadful and destructive habit, which ruins both body and mind, call immediately on Dr. Hungerford, and you can depend on being restored to health, that greatest of God's blessings.

STONE GRAVEL, &c.—The efficacy of Dr. Hungerford's Lithron Triptic has proved beyond a doubt to be the most certain cure in the above named most painful cases that the human frame is subject to. au25 3m

Miscellaneous.

Mrs. S. A. Prior,

DRESS-MAKER AND GENERAL SEAMSTRESS,

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MARIPOSA.

J. ROSENBAUM,

DEALER IN

BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

Centre Street, Stockton.

Doctors Thos. Payne & W. W. Ward

HAVE associated themselves in the practice of their Profession. Office on Main street, where one or both may be found at all hours.

Mariposa, April 18th, 1854. ap21-y6*

Money Saved IS MONEY MADE

BY recent arrangements made with our House in San Francisco, we are prepared to sell the

FIRST QUALITY OF CIGARS

as low as they can be bought in San Francisco.

We shall keep constantly on hand a large stock of the best

HAVANA CIGARS,

and would advise Merchants, Hotel and Saloon keepers, and the trade in general, to examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

STORE ON MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

N. B. Tobacco, Hardware, Stationery, &c., &c., constantly on hand.

j19-1y N. COHN & CO.

Reduced Prices! AT Phillip's Hotel.

MANUEL ALLEN & CO.,

HAVING taken the BOARDING department of the above Hotel, respectfully inform the public that they have made important reductions in the price of Board, which they now furnish equal to the best in town, for

EIGHT DOLLARS PER WEEK!

OYSTER STEWS and other dishes furnished at all hours of the day, and until 10 o'clock at night

Give us a trial and you will come again.

Mariposa, Sept. 28, 1854.

sep29-tf MANUEL ALLEN & CO.

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Burgoyne & Co.....San Francisco.
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Geo. W. Plume & Co.....Marysville.

Gold Dust and Coin received on general or special deposite.

Particular attention paid to making Loans and other investments.

Highest price paid for Gold Dust. j27-tf

N. D. FAIRBANKS. T. C. OSBORN.

Fairbanks & Osborn,

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

Groceries, Provisions, Liquors, &c.,

BRICK BLOCK ON MAIN STREET,

Between El Dorado and Hunter sts.

ag 18-tf STOCKTON.

EL DORADO HOTEL

AND

Billiard Saloon,

On Charles, between 3d and 4th streets, Mariposa.

THE undersigned, proprietor of the above named Hotel, have recently re-furnished their sleeping apartments in a costly and splendid style, for the accommodation of the public, and as heretofore, will hold themselves in readiness to wait upon all who may favor them with a call.

The Billiard Saloon contains one of Winain's best Tables; and the choicest Liquors and best Cigars will be kept constantly on hand.

For beds inquire at the bar.

Connected with the above establishment is a splendid Restaurant, where meals of every description may be obtained at all hours.

ju2-1y GREEN B. ABEL.

The Merced HOTEL

IS now ready for the reception of visitors, and we respectfully request the public generally to give us a call and examine for themselves.

OUR TABLE

will be supplied with the best the market affords—vegetables of all kinds in abundance, and fresh at the door, from our Garden.

OUR BAR

is supplied with the very best Liquors and Cigars to be found in the San Francisco market.

OUR BEDS

will be found clean and comfortable.

The Merced Hotel is one of the most pleasant locations between Mariposa and Stockton. Passengers by the Stage will be accommodated with an express wagon to convey them to the depot, and every effort will be made to render the sojourn of travelers and others both pleasant and agreeable.

my26-6m O. SCHREDER & CO.

MINERS' EXCHANGE

AND

Savings Bank,

CORNER MONTGOMERY AND SACRAMENTO STREETS, SAN FRANCISCO.

ALL moneys deposited in this Bank, in sums not exceeding One Thousand Dollars, are payable on demand, and deposits of over One Thousand Dollars, at one day's sight. Said deposits made on and after the first of September, 1854, will draw interest at the rate of one and a half per cent. per month.

All special deposits of not less than One Hundred Dollars, made for six months and over, will draw interest at the rate of two per cent. per month.

On the 1st of September of each year, depositors will be notified of any change of the rate of interest for the ensuing year.

Gold Dust left at this Office to be assayed, or for coinage at the United States Branch Mint, will receive immediate attention; and the results from assays will be returned every forty-eight hours; and the charge in all cases will only be one and a half per cent., including all charges for Assay and Coinage, or one-half per cent. for assay alone, when the amount is fifty ounces and upwards; all amounts under fifty ounces, the price will be Five Dollars.

Miners and Merchants, leaving gold dust at this Banking House to be assayed, can have an immediate advance on their gold without any charge for advancing.

Bills of Exchange on the Eastern States at ninety days from date, or at sixty days from sight, will be drawn at par. Sight drafts will be drawn at three per cent. or at the usual rates at the time of drawing.

Mint Certificates purchased at a reasonable discount.

Gold dust and gold bars purchased at the highest market price.

Rich Quartz Specimens valued free of charge, and the highest price paid for them when offered for sale.

The usual Banking facilities extended to merchants and traders, and the Bank will be kept open for the accommodation of Depositors until 5½ o'clock, P. M., and until 10 P. M. on Saturdays.

N. B. Miners can remit their moneys or Gold Dust, in sealed packages, through Wells, Fargo & Co.'s and Adams & Co.'s Expresses, labelled and directed to me, with such instructions as they may deem proper, with the full assurance that every attention will be paid to their instructions relative to the same.

s ap2 A. S. WRIGHT, Banker.

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Team For Sale.

A VALUABLE TEAM, consisting of Four Yoke of American Oxen, and a good Wagon.

The Cattle are in excellent condition, fit for Butchering or working, and will be sold cheap for Cash, or exchanged for Barley and Hay.

☞ Enquire at the ZINC STORE.

Mariposa, September 20, 1854.

sep22-tf DIMOND & CO.

Zinc Store.

DIMOND & CO.,

GRATEFUL for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon us, during the past year, would now inform our old friends and the public in general, that we have erected a large and commodious

Ware House, at Algiers,

which is connected with our present Store by means of a

RAIL ROAD,

in which can be found a large and well selected Stock of Goods, suitable for Mining and other purposes.

Those wishing to purchase largely, we respectfully solicit to give us a call, as we will sell lower than the lowest.

Our Stock of CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, DRILLS, and DOMESTICS, is well adapted for this market.

☞ CALL AND SEE HOW CHEAP WE CAN SELL. ☜

Mariposa, Sept. 20, 1854. sep22-tf

Removal.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having removed to the UPPER FERRY, known as his old place of business, respectfully informs the public that he has completely renovated and refurnished the House throughout, and is prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with a call, in the best manner and at reasonable rates. The Table and Lodging Departments will be found as good as any in the country. Good Stabling for animals.

JOHN PHILLIPS.

Merced River, Sept. 8, 1854. sep8 4t

Steam GRIST MILL.

THE subscriber having made a number of improvements in his Steam Mill, is now prepared to furnish the public with

FRESH GROUND FLOUR!

of a superior quality.

—ALSO—

GROUND BARLEY, WHOLESALE OR RETAIL,

and as cheap as these articles can be furnished by any house in town.

Enquire at the Mill, on Bullion street, nearly opposite Taylor's Stable. Mariposa, Sept. 20, 1850.

sep22-tf N. HASKELL.

For Sale!

TWO FINE CLAIMS,

SITUATED OPPOSITE TO SNELLING'S.

A beautiful stream of water has recently been carried through nearly the centre of the Ranch for the purpose of running a GRIST-MILL on the adjoining Ranch, which is of inestimable worth for irrigation.

All kinds of Vegetables can be raised the season through.

Between one and two hundred acres are fenced, and over one hundred acres are under cultivation. There are fifty acres of Volunteer Barley, well bushed and harrowed, and there is plenty of Timber and all the natural conveniences that can be found on any Ranch in the country.

☞ Any person wishing to purchase at his own price, will please call and see. We are in for a bargain.

sep15-tf JOHN W. WEBSTER & CO.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
Mariposa County, Sept. 11th, 1854.

I do hereby forewarn all persons from buying a Due Bill given by Geo. W. Evans & Co., to John James and H. D. Heeder, dated Stone Fort, August 7th, 1854, for the sum of Four Hundred and Forty-One Dollars, and credited by Seventy-Five Dollars on the back.

GEORGE W. EVANS.

sep15-3t*

New TIN SHOP.

(Next door to Phillip's Hotel, Mariposa.)

THE undersigned calls the attention of the people of Mariposa and vicinity, to his stock of

PARLOR AND COOKING STOVES, TIN-WARE, HARD-WARE, &c.,

which he is prepared to sell at San Francisco prices.

All kinds of

JOB WORK,

done to order, at short notice, and in the best manner.

☞ Call and examine for yourselves.

Mariposa, Sept. 12, 1854.

sep15-3m S. WORMSER.

Phœnix Hotel,

MAIN STREET MARIPOSA.

BOARD PER WEEK.....$8.00
SINGLE MEALS..... 75

☞ An excellent Stable is attached to this establishment. sep15-tf

Notice.

MISS HAGEN, of Liverpool, requests her nephew, Mr. JNO. F. ROLGERS—should this advertisement meet his eye—to write her immediately, addressing his letter to the care of ROBERT RODGERS, Esq., San Francisco, who will forward it to England. sep8 14t

The Eyes! The Eyes!!

DR. E. H PARDEE, OCULIST.

AFTER a protracted blindness of more than five years, DR. PARDEE has made himself thoroughly and scientifically acquainted with all disorders of the Eye, and is now practising, with universal success, the same treatment by which he was cured.

A WORD OF CAUTION—The Eye is by far too precious and delicate an organ to be trifled with or made the subject of random experiments; therefore it would be exceedingly unwise, and perhaps dangerous, to accept any of the "Never-Failing Cures" that are tendered by the misguided kindness of all around," for every one offers a specific for diseases of the eye.

☞ Many patients can be seen daily at the office of DR. PARDEE, in different stages of recovery.

OFFICE—San Francisco, west of the Plaza, opposite the Post Office, one door north of the Portsmouth House, up stairs. sep1-tf

Wm. Bailey,

MANUFACTURER OF

PURE SPERM, POLAR, AND LARD

OILS.

ALSO—CAMPHINE AND BURNING FLUID.

All Sales guaranteed.

Works, Battery street, between Pine and Bush streets, San Francisco. ag 18-3m

"Old Virginia never Tire."

Neither does New England.

***The Pioneer* Steam Saw Mill,**

ON SHERLOCK'S CREEK,

STILL CONTINUES TO RATTLE OUT THE BEST QUALITY OF

LUMBER,

Of every description, from the shortest to the longest and widest, and the three six mule teams, are always on hand to deliver Lumber to any part of the County, where a wagon can run, at the shortest possible notice.

D. WHITE & CO.,
By G. GREEN, Agent.

jy 21-y

NEW MADRID

Steam Saw-Mill.

Not in the Field of Competition, but

RUNNING ON THE INDEPENDENT LINE!

SITUATED ON CHARLES STREET,

ONLY ONE BLOCK FROM COURT-HOUSE SQUARE.

THIS MILL HAVING RESUMED BUSINESS, is in good repair, and is prepared to deliver LUMBER, in the town of Mariposa and vicinity, at short notice; or will deliver large bills in any part of the county where there is a practicable road.

Mr. STEPTOE, the Clerk, will still be found at the Mill, and will attend to orders in his usual prompt, pleasant manner. [sep8 tf] W. S. KAVANAUGH.

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El Dorado Hotel,

RESTAURANT,

AND

COFFEE SALOON,

On Charles, between 3rd and 4th streets,

Mariposa.

THE PROPRIETORS of this well known establishment would inform the public that they have moved into their NEW HOUSE, opposite the old El Dorado, where they will be happy to meet all of their old friends. They believe they can furnish board, better and cheaper, than any other Hotel in Mariposa.

The choicest WINES and best LIQUORS in the country, will be kept at the BAR.

To travelers and persons visiting Mariposa, they offer accommodations not to be met with at any other Hotel in town.

SOUPS and STEWS of all descriptions, and all kinds of GAME constantly on hand.

All kinds of CAKES made on the shortest notice.

For the benefit of the public, they will keep their house open until 1 o'clock in the morning.

Board per week, $10. Single Meals, $1. Extras charged for accordingly. Payment to be invariably in advance.

AUGUSTE PUJOL & CO.,
ag 18-5m Proprietors.

Fine Summer CLOTHING.

THE subscriber would call the attention of the public to the Assortment of

SUMMER CLOTHING

Just opened in the Store

On Main street, next door below Mr. Canon's House.

100 dozen Shirts of all varieties;
500 pair Linen and Cotton Pants.

—ALSO—

A large quantity of Summer Coats of different styles and material, all of which will be sold cheap.

Mariposa, August 11, 1854.

ag11-tf JULES ROBERT.

Lots for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale on reasonable terms, several excellent Lots suitable for building purposes, situated on the west side of Charles street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, in the town of Mariposa.

Enquire at the El Dorado Restaurant, of

AUGUSTE PUJOL.

Mariposa, August 11, 1854. ag11-tf

Bridgeport Hotel.

THE subscribers having opened a commodious Hotel, at the CROSSING OF THE AGUA FRIO, formerly known as Chrisch & Barrow's, beg to assure their friends and the travelling public generally, that the accommodations to be found at their House, are not to be surpassed by any other Hotel in the Interior. This Hotel being situated on the great thoroughfare from Mariposa and Agua Frio to the Lower Country, travellers are invited to give us a call and examine our arrangements. Our table will be supplied with the best that can be procured, and the Bar well stocked with good Liquors.

☞ Stabling, &c., for animals. ☜

BALES & TURNER.

Bridgeport, Aug. 25, 1854. au25 tf

☞ R. T. THORNER, DENTIST, begs leave to refer to the following gentlemen in Mariposa:

COL. S. A. MERRITT, E. BURKE, ESQ.,
I. LYONS, ESQ., DR. A. D. BOYCE.

jy21-tf

For Rent.

THE HOTEL,

SITUATED ON THE LONG MOUNTAIN, ON THE STAGE Road leading from this place to Stockton, between the Cow and Calf and Corbitt's Ranches, will be rented on reasonable terms, and put in good condition for occupation, if rented. For further particulars, apply at the Pioneer Steam Saw Mill, on Sherlocks.

Mariposa, July 21st, 1854. D. WHITE & CO.

jy 21-3t By G. GREEN, Agent.

Mariposa HOTEL.

THE undersigned having thoroughly refitted and improved his establishment in the town of Mariposa, solicits the patronage of the public at all times, and in any numbers.

His table will be well supplied with all creature comforts, and his bar with good Liquors and Cigars.

An excellent Stable is attached to the premises, where animals will be well provided for.

This House, for coolness and comfort, cannot be surpassed in the mines.

Prices moderate.

ag4-tf WILLIAM NICHOLS.

Wanted,

At the Bear Creek Steam Mill,

A Team to furnish the Mill with Logs till the 1st of December.

sep15-2t CLARK, LAMON & CO.

Dentistry.

R. T. THORNER,

SURGEON DENTIST, MARIPOSA.

OFFICE at the Drug Store of DR. A. D. BOYCE.

Also—operations guaranteed, and satisfactory references given.

☞ TEETH inserted, from one to an entire set.

☞ TEETH filled and cleaned.

Charges Moderate. ju30-tf

Soda Water MANUFACTORY,

Main Street, Mariposa.

KRAFFT, HOWELL & HICE, PROPRIETORS, Would respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they are now in active operation, and are prepared to supply all demands for their celebrated SODA WATER or "POP."—Thankful for past favors, they hope by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon them. ap21.

FRANKLIN HOUSE,

STILL IN THE ASCENDENCY!!

THE UNDERSIGNED takes pleasure in announcing to his old friends and the public generally, that he has re-leased the above well known House, for the purpose of keeping a

HOTEL

AND

BOARDING HOUSE,

where strangers will find all the comforts of a First Class Hotel.

THE TABLE

will be supplied with the best the market affords.

Meals, Oyster Stews, &c.,

can be obtained at all hours.

Neatness and quietness will at all times be preserved.

Boarding by the week on the most reasonable terms.

Private rooms neatly fitted and furnished.

THE BAR

will be supplied with the choicest Liquors of all kinds, and the best Cigars.

FRANK WILLIAMS.

Attached to the above Hotel is an excellent STABLE, where animals will be fed on the best of hay and grain, and will be cleaned and brought up at the shortest notice. Saddle horses to let. ju24-tf

Wanted.

INFORMATION WANTED OF WM. DICK, a Scotchman by birth, who left his wife in the Northern Mines not long since, in search of a lost child. Any information of his whereabouts will be thankfully received by his family at Snelling's Post Office, Merced River.

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C. A. McNULTY,

Importer and Dealer in Hardware, Miners' Tools, Agricultural Implements, &c.,

No. 82 Battery street, San Francisco,

HAS in store, a large and general assortment, comprising in part—

STEAM ENGINES, BOILERS, SAW-MILL IRONS, PLOWS.

HARDWARE—
O. Ames' long and short handled Shovels;
P. and R. do do do do;
King's do do do do;
Spades, Hoes, Axes, Picks;
Locks, assorted sizes, Plumb Levels;
Bellows, vices, anvils, and irons;
Bench planes, augers, gimblets;
Squares, rules, saw-setts, trays;
Circular, mill, cross-cut, pit and hand saws;
Chisels, drawing knives, sizes;
Stocks and dies, auger bitts, trowels;
Cutlery, locks, bolts, screws, butts;
Hatchets, hammers, Mexican spurs;
Files, a full assortment;
Lead pipe, zinc, block tin, grindstones;
Sheet iron, cut and wrought nails,
Colt's revolvers, powder flasks, percussion caps;
Coffee mills, letter presses, scales;
Hollow-ware, wagon boxes;
Carpenters' Coopers', Blacksmiths' Tools, &c., &c.

BRITANNIA WARE—
Candlesticks, soup ladles, pitchers;
Coffee pots, castors, molasses cups;
Cigar lighters, spittoons, fluid lamps;
Dishes, stands and water pans;
Table and tea spoons, tea sets complete;
Chafing dishes, oblong tureens, &c., &c.

WOODEN WARE—
Tubs, pails, washboards, churns;
Cider and well buckets, trays;
Axe, pick, sledge, adze and hammer handles;
Knife boxes, beef mauls, rolling pins;
Wooden bowls, brushes, mops;
Oval trays, butter stamps, dippers;
Lemon squeezers, bench screws;
Seives, Manila cordage, &c., &c.

City and country dealers will find it to their advantage to call and examine my stock and prices.

For sale by C. A. McNULTY,
jl9-tf 82 Battery street.

E. BRIGGS,

CIGAR AND TOBACCO BROKER, AND COMMISSION Buyer, 101 Clay street, between Sansome and Battery San Francisco.

—REFERS TO—

Messrs. Case, Heiser & Co., Turnbull & Walton, Quereau & Johnson, Annan, Talmage & Co. ap14-1m

JAMES B. TOWNSEND,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA,

HAS removed his office to 47 (third story,) Montgomery Block, (Halleck, Peachy & Billing's New Building,) corner of Merchant and Montgomery streets. j27-tf

H. Carrison,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN *FURNITURE AND BEDDING,*

No. 143 Sacramento street, cor. of Webb, San Francisco.

M. C. will pay strict attention to Furnishing Steamships, River Boats and Hotels. m10-3m

J. B. WIER,

IMPORTER AND DEALER,

IN

BUTTER, CHEESE, LARD, HAMS, PORK, &c., &c.,

48 Front street, near California, San Francisco.

feb5-tf

G. M. HUTTON,

ALTA FOUNDRY,

Market street, facing Battery street, San Francisco.

SASH, Mulay and Circular Saw Mill and Grist Mill Irons, Horse Powers, Threshing Machines, Quartz Crushing and Mining Machinery, Iron and Brass Castings of every description, and Machine work in general, promptly executed at the lowest current rates. feb10-tf

DISEASES

OF THE

EYES AND RHEUMATISM.

DR. DILL, (from St. Louis, Mo., M. D., member of the Parisian and German Medical Societies,) having visited the principal Schools and Hospitals of Europe, expressly to study under the most celebrated Oculists on the continent, as Sichel of Paris, Juengken of Berlin, and others, that most difficult and delicate branch of our profession—

DISEASES OF THE EYE—

takes pleasure in informing the public that he has permanently located himself at San Francisco, where he will treat any case that may present itself; and patients need no longer go to the States to be treated for bad cases.

DR. DILL speaks English, German, French, Spanish, &c.

Office—corner of Davis and Jackson streets.

Letters addressed "P. R. DILL, M. D., San Francisco," promptly answered.

DR. DILL cures the worst cases of Rheumatism by the new treatment, in two weeks or makes no charge.

☞ The poor attended gratis. feb17-6m

PATCH & CLAYTON,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND GENERAL AGENTS,

(92 Front street, in Gordon's Iron Block.)

FAITHFUL attention given to sales of California Produce, and orders for merchandise promptly filled at lowest market rates.

WM. Y. PATCH. [j27-tf] CHARLES CLAYTON.

J. D. HUNT & CO.,

CORNER CLAY AND BATTERY STREETS,

OFFER for sale Eagle Plows of the best make, and every variety;

Steel Plows of Illinois patterns;
Geddie's Harrows, Cultivators, Wheat Drills, of most approved make,
Ox Yokes and Bows, Whiffletrees;
Thermometer and Rotary Churns;
Agricultural Furnaces, Ca

San Francisco Advertisements.

BY HENRY S. FITCH & CO.,
REAL ESTATE AUCTIONEERS
AND
LAND AGENTS.

HENRY S. FITCH.....AUCTIONEER.

Howard's Building, No 137 Montgomery street, between Clay and Commercial streets, San Francisco.

HENRY S. FITCH respectfully announces to the public, that he has associated with him in business MR. A. MARIUS CHAPELLE and MR. LEOPOLD LOWENBERG—both gentlemen of experience in Real Estate sales.

By this association, we are enabled to transact business in the *English, French, German, Spanish and Italian* languages; and we have determined, at all public sales of importance to *present* the property and the bids made therefor in the languages named.

Sales of
Real Estate, Vessels, State Bonds, City Scrip Mining Stock, &c., &c.,
made for Administrators, Assignees, Receives, Mortgagees, and others, carefully complying with the forms of law.

Persons desirous of having their property sold at private or public sales, will please hand in description of the same, to be entered on the register at their office.

HENRY S. FITCH.
A. MARIUS CHAPELLE,
feb10-tf LEOPOLD LOWENBERG.

WM. B. COOKE. G. L. KENNY. GEO. STURTEVANT
WHOLESALE BOOK STORE,
AND
STATIONERS' HALL.

COOKE, KENNY & CO.,
Corner of Merchant and Montgomery streets, San Francisco.

Importers of English, French and American Fancy and Staple STATIONERY.
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in LAW, MEDICAL, MISCELLANEOUS, SCHOOL AND BLANK BOOKS.
Agents and Dealers in MAGAZINES and REVIEWS.
☞ BLANK BOOKS made to order on the shortest notice. feb10 tf

NOTICE TO THE MILLION!!!
GEO. H. JOHNSON'S
First Premium Pioneer Daguerrean Gallery, San Francisco,

THE frequent liability under which the public now rest, of being deceived while in search of the ORIGINAL JOHNSON'S GALLERY, so favorably and extensively known as being the FIRST PREMIUM GALLERY on the Pacific, as well as for the SUPERIORITY OF LIKENESSES AND PICTURES, both as to fidelity and tone of artistic finish, has induced the subscriber to give the public a
WARNING AGAINST IMPOSITION!
His establishment is at the Corner of Montgomery and Clay streets, directly opposite Wells' building. Remember it is the
CORNER BUILDING, OVER THE DRUG STORE.
Be careful to observe the name of G. H. Johnson, he having no connection with the Johnson, next door to his establishment.
STEROSCOPIC PICTURES,
the greatest wonder of the age, taken with all the latest improvements in the art; being enabled by new and extensive additions to apparatus, to surpass any other artist in this city.
SINGLE, OR FAMILY GROUP PICTURES,
taken in the first style of the art, and put up in any variety of case, or in lockets, breast pins, rings, bracelets, watches, canes, pencils, caskets, christalocopes, or any other known style.
NO CHARGE FOR PICTURES,
if they do not give the most unlimited satisfaction. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine specimens of Pictures in my Gallery. A liberal share of public patronage is solicited.
Perfect satisfaction will be guaranteed.
feb10-tf GEO. H. JOHNSON.

SOMETHING NEW
AT THE
Cochituate Baths!
57 Sansome street, between California and Pine, San Francisco.

THE ROYAL TURKISH LINEN BATHING TOWELS, Just received.
NOW IN USE AT THE COCHITUATE BATHS!
The only house in the State where this healthy and agreeable luxury can be enjoyed.

THIS is the best article ever invented for bathing purposes, and received a premium at the World's Fair. Their superiority over every description of Towel consists in their great sharpness, combined with flexibility and absorption, and are highly approved and recommended by the faculty as the most beneficial and invigorating article now in use.

Single Baths only.....$0.75
Or ten tickets for.....5.00
Separate appartments for ladies.
MASON & McCOMBE,
feb3-tf Proprietors.

NORCROSS'
MILITARY REGALIA,
Elag, Banner, and Ladies Dress Trimming
EMPORIUM.
SAN FRANCISCO.

MASONIC, ODD FELLOWS', CHAPTER, ENCAMPMENT, and other REGALIA embroidered and made to order in a style that cannot be surpassed by any house in the Atlantic States. Full sets for Lodges and private members constantly on hand. Jewels for Templars, Chapters, Blue Lodges, Odd Fellows' and Encampments.
MILITARY GOODS,
of every description imported, together with all kinds of Gold and Silver Embroidery done for Army and Navy Officers.
FLAGS, BANNERS, SIGNALS, BURGEES, &c., &c., made at short notice, and on reasonable terms. Ensigns of all sizes constantly on hand.
LADIES' DRESS AND OTHER TRIMMINGS,
in great variety. Gold and Silver Fringes, Laces, Gimps, Stars, Tassels, Rosettes, Theatrical Trimmings, &c., &c.
D. NORCROSS,
feb10-tf 148 Sacramento, above Montgomery.

FURNITURE,
At SEYMOUR & CO.'S, No. 190 Washington street, San Francisco.
Sofas, Sofa Beds;
Bedsteads;
French Mahogany Bedsteads;
Gothic do do;
Elizabethian Bedsteads;
Washstands;
Marble Top Washstands;
Veneered do;
Painted do double and single;
Standing and Sitting Desks;
Sets painted Chamber Furniture;
Chairs in great variety. j19-tf

FRANK BAKER,
Importer, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Upholstery Goods and Paper Hangings,
135 and 137 Clay street, San Francisco,

HAS constantly on hand a large assortment of velvet tapestry, brussels, three-ply, ingrain and Venitian Carpets, druggets, matting, table and floor oil cloths, rugs, mats, etc, etc.
Also—Satins, silks, worsted, cotton, damask, lace and muslin curtains. Also, window shades of every description; gimps, cords, fringes, silk and worsted tassels, loops, gilt cornices and poles, curtain bands and pins, table covers, plush, etc.
Orders from a distance promptly attended to.
FRANK BAKER,
j19 135 and 137 Clay street.

W. T. GARRATT & CO.,
BRASS AND BELL FOUNDERS.
Halleck Street, near the American Theatre.

MANUFACTURERS of all kinds of copper work, brass, zinc, steamboat, tavern and hand BELLS and Gongs, fire engines, force and lift pumps, steam, liquor, soda, oil and water cocks, and valves of ali descriptions, made and repaired; hose and other joints, spelter, copper rivets, &c; gas pipes and fixtures always on hand. j21-tf

150,000 Worth of Furniture,
BRYANT & KINGS
EMPIRE FURNITURE WAREROOMS,
180 *Jackson street, San Francisco.*

AT very low prices for cash, just received and now opened at the wholesale and retail trade, making by far the largest stock ever offered on the Pacific coast, and comprising every variety of rosewood, mahogany, walnut and other kinds of parlor, chamber and office Furniture, together with all kinds of Beds and Bedding.
The attention of dealers in particular is called, as well as all who are furnishing hotels, dwellings or offices, as every article we advertise we positively have on hand, making a selection, we flatter our ourselves, that will meet the wants of all.
N. B.—30 complete unbroken invoices. Call and see us before purchasing elsewhere. j19

Mariposa Advertisements.

"Our House!"
UPPER AGUA FRIO.
WILLIAM KETTON & CO.,

HAVING thoroughly renovated the above Hotel, are now prepared to accommodate the traveling public, and others, with comfortable quarters, as good board as can be found at any other house in the mines, and witn as
GOOD LIQUORS AND CIGARS,
as can be found in the market.
Those in want of a pleasant home are requested to give us a trial. Upper Agua Frio, August 11, 1854.
ag11-tf WILLIAM KETTON & CO.

Cunningham's
HOTEL.

SITUATED at the Junction of the Agua Frio and Mariposa Roads, offers inducements to Travellers, Teamsters, and others, rarely met with in the Mines. The
BOARDING AND LODGING DEPARTMENT
is under the superintendence of a Lady of acknowledged abilities. Attached to the House is a DEEP WELL, of most excellent Water, and numerous Shade Trees render this place one of the most pleasant locations in the county. Our Table, Liquors, and Beds, will be found inferior to none, and prices to suit the times.
DAVID CUNNINGHAM.
Cunningham's Ranch, Aug. 21, 1854. au25 tf

ALFRED F. WASHBURN,
Justice of the Peace for Township No. 3,
Office in Mariposa.

ALISON & HARRIS,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
Office on Main street, Mariposa.

RICHARD H. DALY,
ATTORNEY AND NOTARY PUBLIC,
Mariposa. j19-tf

SAM'L. A. MERRITT,
Attorney at Law, and Notary Public under the Law of 1853.
Office, on Main, between Fourth and Fifth streets, Mariposa. j19-1y

E. BURKE,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
Office on Main street, Mariposa.

O. M. DICKINSON,
COUNTY SURVEYOR:
Office, on Main street, Mariposa.

GUNSMITHING.
RIFLES, FOWLING PIECES, AND COLT'S PISTOLS,
Will be repaired by the undersigned in a neat and substantial manner, upon short notice.
Shop situated on Charles, between 4th and 5th streets, Mariposa.
j19-1y J. N. THOMAS.

New
SPRING AND SUMMER
GOODS,
AT
A. BLUMENTHAL'S
General Clothing and Dry Goods Store,
OPPOSITE THE SOUTHERN HOTEL, MARIPOSA.

HAVING just returned from San Francisco with a large and splendid assortment of
GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,
I would respectfully invite the citizens of Mariposa county to call and supply themselves with the
LATEST STYLES AND THE BEST QUALITIES
of articles ever offered for sale in this part of the country. a28-tf

A. W. Jee's
STORE,
Morman Bar, at the Junction of Mariposa and Stockton Creeks.

THE Subscriber has constantly on hand a well selected supply of
GROCERIES, LIQUORS, PROVISIONS,
AND MINING TOOLS.
Also all other descriptions of GOODS adapted for the Miner, all of the best quality—for sale at the lowest prices, and would most respectfully ask a continuance of his friend's favors, and solicits a call from the public.
ARTHUR W. JEE.
Morman Bar, Mariposa. ap21-6m

New Hotel.
Main Street, Mariposa.
REYNOLDS & NEWCOMB Proprietors.

HAVING LEASED THE HOTEL FORMERLY KEPT BY WILLIAM PHILLIPS, in the Town of Mariposa, and having made extensive additions and improvements in the same, are now ready to entertain the public with the
BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS,
And hope by a strict attention to the wants and comfort of travelers, and others who may favor us with a call, to receive a fair share of patronage.
S. S. REYNOLDS,
June 9-tf C. J. NEWCOMB.

POST OFFICE HOTEL,
AND
PROVISION DEPOT,
Mt. Ophir.
JOSEPH MILLER & CO., Proprietors.

THE public are informed that this establishment has accommodations and conveniences for guests unsurpassed by any house in the county. The best the market affords will always be furnished for the table in abundance.
As regards the sleeping arrangements, every effort will be made to insure invariable satisfaction.
At the store can at all times be found a complete assortment of
MINERS' IMPLEMENTS,
DRY GOODS, &c.
Together with all description of
MEAT PROVISIONS
of the best quality.
feb10-tf JOS. MILLER & CO.

PROCLAMATION.

Ye Miners—all who love to roam,
So far away from friends and home,
Just please to stop awhile and see
What glorious news you'll get from me.

Those friends at home, why, "bless your eyes!"
You now can take them by surprise,
And show your bearded, whiskered faces,
And all your "Claims" and mining places,
Your "Tom" and "Sluice," and "tailings" too;
And even the water running through.
All this, and more, sirs, you are able
To place at home upon your table,
Thousands of miles far, far away
From this same California!
And how? Quite easy—just walk round
Towards the upper end of town,
At Mariposa, and there's the place
To get a Picture of your face.
Walk into Plecker's Saloon—
From morn 'till late in afternoon—
You'll find all things prepared for action,
And warranted to give satisfaction.
Daguerreotypes—all sorts and kinds—
To suit all fancies and all minds;
Large and small, and splendid cases,
Suitable for "Claims" or "Faces;"
Or, if you choose, a handsome Locket,
Exactly fit for a sweetheart's pocket.
All this, and more than I can mention,
You'll find there to attract attention.
Come all, no matter what your trade is,
Come right along and bring the Ladies;
(And whether they are fair or no,
Daguerreotype will quickly show.)
Pictures in *any kind of weather*,
Singly, or two or more together.
Now if you want a "view" or "claim,"
Walk in and "register your name;"
Or come my specimens to see—
No charge for that—*admittance free!*
Saloon in readiness, *boys, recollect,*
I may be off ere you expect.
Pictures good, and prices low,
Now's your chance, before I go,
Recollect the name—and call in soon—
Plecker's Daguerreotype Saloon.
Mariposa, 1854.
ag4-tf D. A. PLECKER, Operator.

Miscellaneous.

LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING IN THE POST OFFICE AT MARIPOSA, OCTOBER 1st, 1854.

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Able James	Alexander A.
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Baekosser Wm	Bondurant J M
Bass James N	Brown L B
Bates George	Branrau Wm—2
Beel G	Bradford Mr
Beaty & Cromford	Bryan Daniel
Bennett Pat B	Bryan James B
Bird Abreham	Bromley Fred'k
Bolander John—2	
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Carson A B	Chisholm Wm W
Cameron C C—4	Clapp Joseph
Caulty Stephen	Couverse Chas P
Cardinale Lugi	Costigan Thos
Calhoun Wm E	Cormack J M
Caulk Poinsett	
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Deep Dohn E	Ducasse Casimer
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Elderdy Abert	English T R
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Farris Wm	Flournoy Thos C
Fenby Joseph J	Fleppin Joseph T
Finly Edward	Frank H & A
Fine Col J R E	
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Garvey Edward	Gates Davis
Gains Eckhols	Gaws Walter
George Gerard	Garver Henry
Gift A D	Gouger J A W
Gray John F	Gorgenpen Axel
Green Mr	Gray Thos W
Graham Silas	Gregwase Lewis
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Harden Rob't	Harber L B
Hadley Agustus	Henry John A
Haglin Chas M—2	Herron John
Hanell Jasper	Helm Henry M
Hafford Jacob T—2	Holmes Edmon B
Harrison James	
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Jeffors Thos M	Johnson W H
Johnston W M—3	Johnson Chas F
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Kyes John	Kirk John
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Lange Carl A	Lewis Geo
Lagarde Dominque	Loomis Chas T
Saffevillua Mr	
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Mackay Jas N	Moorewood Thos
Moxey Geo H	McCargain H N
Mathis Allen B	McCormack John M
Meceigan Thos	McKowen Rob't M
Morey Daniel	Mc Man Jareed H
Morrey David	McSwain Silas
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Parker Wm T	Peasley Moses
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Peterson Chas	Pough James
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Redmond W	Rynes C C
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Sarver Henry	Smith Samuel
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Seales Stephen D	Smith Lewis H
Sivens T M	Shults E G
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Tallen Wm	Tomb Arthur
Taylor L C	Thompson James H
Tucker Cage	Thompson Joseph W
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FOREIGN LETTERS.

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☞ Persons calling for the above letters, will please say "Advertised."
JOHN F. McNAMARA, P. M.

Magnolia House,
CHANNEL STREET, STOCKTON.
J. C. MORRIS, PROPRIETOR.

THE Proprietor of this popular Hotel takes pleasure in announcing to his former patrons and the public generally, that having completed the entire re-modeling of his establishment—one of the most complete and extensive Hotels in California—he is now prepared for the reception of the public. No expense has been spared in re-fitting and furnishing every department with all the modern improvements that would add comfort and luxury in making it truly a model Hotel.
The proprietor would take pleasure in greeting his old friends and patrons at his new establishment, assuring them that every attention they may have received at his hands heretofore, will be renewed on the occasion.
TERMS—Of Board, Lodging, &c., on the same liberal scale as before. j27-tf

WALLACE'S
GARDEN RANCH,
AND
GENERAL PROVISION STORE,
MT. OPHIR.

THE public of Mt. Ophir and surrounding district are informed that this establishment is now supplied with one of the largest and best assorted stocks of Goods in the line, that can be found in the County, all or any portion of which will be sold as low as the lowest.
In the Boarding and Lodging department, every attention will be shown to patrons.
Regular boarders and sojourners will always find a well furnished table, and good clean beds.
feb10-tf HENRY WALLACE.

Ferry House,
SPLIT ROCK, ON THE MERCED.

THIS WELL KNOWN STAND is located on the MERCED RIVER, on the Mail Route from Sonora to Mariposa, 18 miles from Mariposa, 7 from Bear Valley, 5½ from Coultersville, and 30 miles from Sonora.
Travelers, and others, can at all times be furnished with Meals, Lodging and Horse Feed.
Not having a market, we do not undertake to furnish the "*Best the Market affords,*" nor do we always keep "*The Purest Liquors,*" or "*The Finest Brands of Cigars,*" but will endeavor to please our customers in prices, quality and variety.
N. B.—Always on hand an assortment of
ALL KINDS OF GOODS,
Suitable to the wants of Miners, which will be sold as
CHEAP AS THE CHEAPEST.
ju30-tf N. JOHNSON.

Mariposa Bath House
AND
SHAVING SALOON!
Opposite the Franktin House, Mariposa.

THE undersigned, grateful for past patronage, would respectfully invite the inhabitants of Mariposa and vicinity, and also travelers and sojourners in this region, who may feel an inclination to take either a warm or cold bath, and get shaven, shorn, and shampooed, or either one of them, to give him a call.
j19-1y PHOENIX LANSING.

TAAFFE, McCAHILL & CO.,
San Francisco,
HAVE JUST RECEIVED PER CLIPPER SHIP
EAGLE,
A splendid assortment of very DESIRABLE
FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS,
Comprising almost EVERY ARTICLE in the Dry Goods line, which they offer at unusual LOW PRICES, and to which they invite the attention of the CITY and COUNTRY TRADE. TAAFFE, McCAHILL & CO.,
m3-1m Front street, corner Sacramento.

G. M. HUTTON,
WOOD TURNING AND SCROLL SAWING,
At the Sawing and Planing Mill,

HARD Wood, House and Cabinet Turning. Orders executed with dispatch.
A ofvariety turned wood on hand. feb10 tf

Mariposa Advertisements.

John H. Neale,
Manufacturing
JEWELER.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING RETURNED FROM THE "States," and resumed his old business
On Main Street, next door above Adams & Co.'s Express Office,
Would inform his old friends and the public generally, that he is now prepared to make and repair all kinds of
JEWELRY,
REPAIR WATCHES, AND TUNE AND REPAIR MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, OF ALL KINDS,
In a workmanlike manner and on reasonable terms.
A splendid assortment of QUARTZ ROCK, highly polished, on hand, suitable for Brooches, Pins, Rings, Studs, Cane Heads, &c.
☞ Don't forget, next door above Adams & Co.'s office. Mariposa, June 9th, 1854.
ju 9-tf JOHN H. NEALE.

C. D. O'SULLIVAN. WM. F. CASHMAN.
SULLIVAN & CASHMAN,
Main Street, Mariposa,

FEELING grateful for the patronage they have received, now inform their friends and the public generally, that they have recently made arrangements in the
Atlantic States,
to receive their Goods direct from
New York and Boston.
They have also erected a large and commodious Warehouse adjacent to their present Store, where will be found the largest assortment of Goods ever before in Mariposa.
Wholesale Buyers
are particularly invited to give us a call, and examine our Goods, as we are determined to sell as low as can be had from
Stockton and San Francisco.
The same advantages are to be had at our Store at
Coultersville,
On Maxwell's Creek.
m17-tf

BEAR VALLEY DEPOT.
SIMPSON & HAMMATT,

WOULD announce to their friends and the mining community of this county, that they are permanently located in the town of Simpsonville, and now prepared to furnish their customers with
MEAT, PROVISIONS, GROCERIES, LIQUORS, QUEENSWARE, &c.,
f the best quality, and at the lowest rates.
Their stock is entirely new and embraces superior
Hams, Beef, Pork, Bacon;
Lard, Flour, Tea, Coffee;
Sugar, Potatoes, Barley, Rice;
Molasses, Syrups, Dried Fruit;
Preserves, Pickles, Brandy, Gin;
Whisky, Rum, Port Wine;
Claret Wine, Sherry Wine;
Hock Wine, Madaria Wine;
Clothing, Blankets, Drilling &c.
Together with every description of Miners' Tools, &c.
HAMMATT & SIMPSON,
Large Frame House,
feb10-tf Main street, Simpsonville.

Daguerreotypes.

THE undersigned having opened a DAGUERREAN ROOM
In Mariposa, next door to the Clerk's office,
would respectfully invite all who wish work neatly executed in the above Art, to give him a call.
He deems it unnecessary to say anything about his long experience and ability to take likenesses, presuming that all who want pictures, will call and see for themselves. Perfect satisfaction will be given or no charge.
jy 7-tf D. A. PLECKER.

Dr. Grandvoinet,
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON,
AND
ACCOUCHER,

OFFERS his services to the citizens of Mariposa and vicinity.
He keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of
Drugs and Medicines, Surgical Instruments, Syringes and Glyster Pipes, Patent Medicines, Syrups, Oils, Fancy Goods, Perfumery, Cigars, Etc., Etc.,
which he will sell at
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Attention!!

I. KRAFT informs his old customers, and the public in general, that he has taken the well known stand of
POSNER & CO.,
On Main street, opposite the Franklin Boarding House,
and having received a Fresh supply of
FINE SUMMER AND OTHER CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, LADIES' GOODS, &c.,
is now ready and willing to wait on all who may favor him with a call, and supply them with the best articles at prices to suit the times.
As Cheap as the Cheapest, and as Good as the Best!
Mariposa, June 2, 1854.
ju2-tf I. KRAFT.

New Drug Store
IN
Mariposa.
A. D. BOYCE, *Agent.*

HAS constantly on hand a full and fresh supply of
Foreign and Domestic Drugs;
French, English and American Chemicals;
Perfumery and Family Medicines;
Shakers' Herbs and Extracts;
Thompsonian Medicines;
and in fact all things usually to be found in a well stocked establishment.
Physicians can rely upon having their prescriptions carefully prepared at this place. ju9-tf

WILLIAM NICHOLS,
The Oldest Butcher in Mariposa,

Familiarly known as "BLOODY NICK," continues to keep canstantly on hand, at his old stand on Main street, the best
AMERICAN BEEF AND PORK
the country affords, cheap for cash. He feels confident that in his branch of business he can't be beat, consequently he defies all competition.
Credit is dead and buried. j19-tf

SAMUEL H. P. ROSS,
Justice of the Peace for Township No. 1.
AND
Notary Public under the late Act of 1853,

RESPECTFULLY offers his services to the citizens of Mariposa county, and particularly to the citizens of the agricultural portions of the county, in preparing their declaratory statements. Having been the late County Surveyor, he will retrace the lines of the United States' survey that have been lost, and prepare the necessary documents to secure their claims at the Land Office at Benicia. Being generally known throughout the county, he deems no references necessary. Deeds, Mortgages, and other legal documents carefully written.
Office, near the Stone House, Merced river. Applications left at Snelling's Ranch, will be carefully attended to. m3-tf

W. L. CHRYSLER, & CO.,
PORK, Beef, and General Merchants, Fire Proof Store, corner of Front and Sacramento jstreets. 27-tf

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CAPT. W. H. FOLGER. KENNETH McLEA.
Folger & McLea,
SHIP CHANDLERY,
SHIP AND STEAMER STORES,
Corner of Front and Pacific streets,
SAN FRANCISCO.
FOLGER & McLEA,

FOURNISSEUS de Provisions pour Navires, Batteaux, a Vapeurs et autres, au Coin des Rues Front et Pacifique, San Francisco. ag 4-3m

YE B BUENA
HOTEL.
KNOWN ALSO AS THE
PACIFIC TEMPERANCE HOUSE,
Nos. 87 and 89 Pacific street, between Sansome and Battery streets, San Francisco.

E. HYDE, Proprietor of the above named House, desires his friends and the public to know that he has recently enlarged, re-fitted and refurnished his Hotel, and is now prepared to furnish superior Lodgings for Gentlemen, Ladies, and Families.
HIS TABLE,
Also, is provided with the best the market affords, prepared by excellent Cooks, and served by the most civil and attentive waiters.
His guests will find every thing essential to comfort, with none of the annoyances connected with dram-selling.
It is truly gratifying to him to see that those who have stopped with him once stop again when they come this way; and he would only add, that, in view of his extension and improvements, there is now room for both themselves and their friends; and if they cannot remember our new name, which, by the by, is the original name of our wonderful city, and will distinguish our House from every other in the world, (the principal reason why it was adopted,) they will, at least, remember No. 89 Pacific street, being on one of the principal thoroughfares leading from the Steamboat Landing.
N. B. Terms moderate
July 19, 1854. jy28-3m

PURE GROUND COFFEE
AND
SPICE
AT
BOVEE & CO.'S CELEBRATED
Steam Mills,
BROADWAY, SAN FRANCISCO.

THE INCREASED DEMAND FOR BOVEE & CO.'S Ground Coffee and Spices, has induced the proprietors to enlarge their facilities and renew their exertions.
To all those who have heretofore used their Coffee, they would assure them that they are determined to spare no pains to furnish the r.p.p.p. to a truly PURE and Genuine article of
Ground Coffee.
They have recently erected Machinery, by which the smoke is driven from the Coffee the instant it is taken from the fire, thereby retaining its clear and genuine flavor, an operation which has only recently been introduced in the manufactory of Coffee, and never before in this country. Our Coffee is put up in desirable packages, and bears in name and lable. It can be procured at all the wholesale stores throughout the State.
W. H. BOVEE & CO.,
Mills, Broadway, between Dupont and Stockton sts.
N. B.—All Coffee and Spices manufactured at our mills and bearing our names, may be returned and all expenses refunded, if it does not prove to be as represented.
ap7-tf W. H. B. & CO.

$50,000
WORTH OF
FURNITURE!
NOW OPENING AT HOWES & CO.,
180 *Montgomery street, San Francisco,*

BEING that large and desirable stock of Furniture shipped to Nendalle, Silver & Co., of this city, which we have purchased of the original shippers at
50 PER CENT LESS THAN COST.
Consequently we are now prepared to offer at wholesale or retail, to dealers, families, Hotel keepers, and others, our immense stock, at the lowest rates for cash. The above stock comprises in part the following articles:
Parlor Sets, Wardrobes;
Secretaries, Tables;
Chairs, Rockers;
200 Sofas, 200 Bureaus;
50 Chamber Sets;
Mattrasses, Feathers, Bedsteads;
Office Chairs, Office Desks;
Settees, Mirrors, &c., &c.
Our friends in Mariposa can rely upon finding at our warehouse every description of articles in the Furniture line, at prices which we guarantee shall be as low, for the same quality of goods, as at any other establishment in the city.
HOWES & CO.,
Remember the Nunber—
feb3-tf 180 Montgomery street.

Thos. Tennent's
SURVERING AND NAVIGATION
WAREHOUSE,
Sign of the Wooden Sailor,
FIRE-PROOF BLOCK,
Corner of Long Wharf and Front streets,
San Francisco.
Chronometers carefully rated by Transit Observations.
U. S. Agency for the sale of Government Charts of this coast. All these Charts will be sold as heretofore,
At Government Prices.
Surveying and Nautical Instruments, of the best manufacture always on hand.
Repairing executed in a workmanlke manner.
Charts of the latest and most correct surveys, comprising a large assortment of the North and South Pacific Indian Ocean, Horsburg's China Seas, Eastern Passages, Straits of Malacca, Sunda, etc., with rivers and harbors.
Stationery, Pocket Spy Glasses;
Compound Microscopes, Sterioscopes;
Drawing Instruments, Spectacles;
Magnets, Drawing and Tracing Paper;
Hydrometers for Liquors, Salts;
Syrups, Acids, Milk, &c.
Pocket Compasses, Thermometers, &c., with a great variety of other Instruments in the same line.
Being a practical workman, (having learned my business in the manufactory of the celebrated Wm. J. Young, of Philadelphia,) all work entrusted to me will be properly done. j19-3m

QUARTZ ROCK JEWELRY.
BARRETT & SHERWOOD

BEG leave to announce the arrival of a celebrated LAPIDARY ARTIST, engaged especially in the East for them. The machinery for this exquisite branch of their business is of the most improved and perfect description, being ordered for their establishment here, without any regard to cost.
They are now able to cut and test all kinds of precious stones and gems; no longer therefore, need the curious treasures of our soil and mines remain unregarded and undeveloped. Quartz rock mixed with gold, when cut and polished, makes the most beautiful and unique style of jewelry. Rings, Pins, Studs, Seals, Cane Heads, Coat Buttons, and a hundred different things, can now be manufactured from it, that for beauty of design and elegance of finish would be highly appreciated in the Eastern States, rendering them, above all other souvenirs, the most superior for home presents. Call and see them at
BARRETT & SHERWOOD'S
Montgomery street, one door from Commercial street, San Francisco.
N. B.—Quartz mixed with gold, suitable for cutting, purchased at from one to five hundred per cent., above the net gold value. feb10

BUTTER, LARD AND CHEESE.
At No. 81 Clay street, above Front,
SAN FRANCISCO.

400 FIRKINS new June Orange Co. BUTTER,
200 do do do Goshen do
150 do do do Delaware do
100 do do do Chakauque do
100 casks choice do do, in 22lb kitts;
2,000 lbs Butter in 10, 20 and 30 lbs kegs;
15,000 lbs Cheese in tins, best ever imported to this market;
150 cases refined Lard in Small tins;
100 tierces and bbls Leaf Lard.
Also, Ex-clipper ship "Eagle"—
65 firkins choice selected Butter for family use.
The above lot of BUTTER has been selected by myself in New York, and shipped by me expressly for my own trade, and will, I think, be found on examination superior to any offered in this market, and will be sold at the lowest market rates. WILLIAM B. WIER.
m10tsm 81 Clay street above Front.

SAWYER, JOHNSON & CO., Dealers in Paints, Oil, and Glass, have removed to Nos. 103 and 105 Front street, San Francisco. jn 9-3m

San Francisco Advertisements.

A. T. M'CLURE
WOULD inform his friends and the public of Mariposa, that he is now located in his spacious Fire-Proof Building on Bush street, between Sansome and Montgomery, San Francisco, and has on hand one of the largest and best selected stocks of
DRUGS, MEDICINES, PERFUMERY, and FANCY ARTICLES,
that can be found in California. He will sell as low as the lowest, and his goods will invariably be found to be of the very best quality. Country dealers will do well to call and examine for themselves. j19-tf

REMOVAL.
Dr. J. C. Young,

HAS removed his office from 228½ Dupont street to the corner of Montgomery and California streets, opposite the Banking House of Page, Bacon & Co., where he will be happy to consult with his former patrons, and treat scientifically and with discretion, all those who may require the services of a physician. The success of Dr. Young since his advent in this State, has been without a parallel, and he hopes by continued and untiring application to his profession, to remove from the public mind that lack of confidence which has so unhappily existed in regard to the medical profession in the State of California.
P. S.—All letters enclosing $10 will receive immediate attention. Direct box 735, Post Office, San Francisco.
N. B.—All papers in the State will please insert as special notice the above, for one month, and send bill to J. C. Young, M. D. dec4-tf

DR. J. C. YOUNG,
OF SAN FRANCISCO.
READ AND REFLECT.

"If there is a hereafter,
(And that there is, conscience uninfluenced,
And suffered to speak out, tells every man,)
Then it is an awful thing to die,
More horrid yet to die by one's own hand,
Self-murder—name it not!
Shall Nature, swerving from her earliest dictate,
Self preservation, fall by its own act?
Forbid it, Heaven."

THE indulgence in secret practices is the most certain, though not always the most immediate and direct avenue to destruction. Physicians of all ages have been most unanimously of opinion that the loss of one ounce of the seminal secretions, by unnatural aid or emissions, weakens the system more than the abstraction of forty ounces of blood. One of the first writers on medical jurisprudence states that three-fourths of the insane owe their malady to such abuse.
How important, then, it is—for every one having the least cause to suspect any trouble in that way, should attend to it immediately; even one single occurrence should be sufficient to cause doubt, and much more so if the person had ever indulged in the soul-killing habit. The treatment pursued by the justly celebrated Dr. J. C. Young, in cases of seminal weakness, impotency, sterility, nervous debility, and paralysis, (the last is the most dangerous, and when it once occurs, is incurable,) is surpassed by any physician in the country. It is the same as that followed by him for years, under the guidance of the world-renowned *Record* of Paris, and *Acton* of London. Dr. Young's office is corner of Montgomery and California streets, opposite Page, Bacon & Co., San Francisco, California, where he can be consulted upon that and all other private diseases, with the utmost confidence and secresy. Dr. Young will warrant a perfect and permanent cure, or make no charge.
N. B.—Letters enclosing $10 will receive prompt attention. The doctor's time being so much taken up that he cannot attend to letters unless paid for it.
P. S.—Apartments privately arranged.

A CARD.

FROM Dr. J. C. Young's Private Medical Office.—TO THE AFFLICTED.—In this age of progress, when science is developing itself in such a manner as to appear almost miraculous, everything in common place is looked upon as not worth notice. In view of this fact, DR. YOUNG, corner of Montgomery and California streets, San Francisco, California, has concluded to leave the beaten track hitherto pursued by most scientific physicians, (that of waiting for the public to find you out alone,) and publish to the world, as much as may be, his knowledge of the healing art, to let those who are in need of assistance know where they can find relief, without fear of being imposed upon.
In continuation of this object, Dr. Young would say that for the past ten years he has pursued the practice of medicine in one of the largest cities of the United States, with the highest success, and that his standing as a physician is without reproach, having at one time been lecturer at the University of Pennsylvania on venerial diseases, &c.
Upon all these considerations, Dr. Young has confidence in introducing himself to the public, knowing that they will sustain well earned merit.
The following are a few of the many testimonials, which have appeared in the public journals the last few years:

[From the Boston Medical Journal.]
Although we are opposed to the system of advertising for good and sufficient reasons, still we deem it bust justice to say that Dr. Young is one of the most industrious and indefatigable votaries of the medical science in the United States.

[From Professor Jackson.]
The subscriber is personally acquainted with Dr. Young, and has seen much of his practice, and can bear testimony to his merits as a practitioner.

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The eminence of this distinguished gentleman in his profession, and the very extended opportunities possessed by him for the observation of venereal disease, makes his services invaluable to those afflicted with the above complaints.

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DR. J. C. Young, who has become so celebrated for the thousands of cures which he has performed on old, chronic, mercurial, syphilitic, and all private diseases, without mercury, is consulted daily at his office, corner of Montgomery and California streets, from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M. A cure guaranteed or no pay.
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Travelers, seamen, miners and others, who wish to be cured without mercury, hindrance from business, or exposure to friends, should apply to him as soon as possible, and a perfect cure will be guaranteed in all curable cases. Recollect the name and number, Dr. J. C. Young, corner of Montgomery and California streets.
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OR SEMINAL WEAKNESS.—Dr. Young addresses those who have injured themselves by private and improper indulgences in that secret and solitary habit which ruins the body and mind, unfitting them for either business or society. The following are some of the sad and melancholy effects produced by early habits of youth, viz: weakness of the back and limbs, in pain the head, dimness of sight, loss of muscular power, palpitation of the heart, dyspepsia, nervousness, irritability, derangement of the digestive functions, general debility, symptoms of consumption, &c.
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